

# Saddhamma Samgaho.

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Vinñāpanam.

Sādhu Sundaro ti vā Saddhammassa samgaho ti SADHAMMA-SAMGAHO nāma. So panāyam viracito Dhammakittiābhidhānatheravarena sabbaññusāsanavuddhatthañ ca pitakattaya-lekhakānam pasādajananatthañ cārambhe pakasitam. Idam pana samgaham kālantarena avyattalekhakadosena ākulavyākulatāya pāthonatāya sampayuttam hutvātthi. Mayam pana nānādisāsu potthakāni cinitvā samupaparikkhitvā yathābalam vikhalikarimha. Api ca kho yatthakatthaci khalitā ti maññamānā pāthāni pi dissanti, tāni sabbesu potthakesu ekākāreneva dissanti, tasmatā aññathattam na karimha. Lañkāsāsana-patiññhita-samayam tipiñaka potthakārūlha samayañ ca tesu tesu kālesu rājaparamparā - kathādi - jānanatthañ ca payojanam idam pakaranan ti vadāma. Gālupuravare “Edmand Roland Gunaratna” nāmāti vissutena rājamantinā amhākam potthakāni sampādetvā dānena atyopakāram katan ti sānandena pakāsema. Jayatu so mantindo

- 1 Vividha-dhanaja-Laṅkākāminī - Kālatittha-Karavalaya-  
Asokārāma-nāme vihāre  
Amita-suguṇalaṅkārehi sammujjalanto vasati Suma-  
natissattherapādo stīmā
- 2 Jānato sadda satthādīm tassa therassa dhimato  
Kavīnam muddhamālassa bālham kho santavuttino
- 3 Sissena antevāsinā Saddhānandena bhikkhunā  
Saranajotyābhidhānenā mittena parisodhitam

NAMO TASSA BHAGAVATO ARAHATO SAMMĀSAMBUDDHASSA

## Saddhamma-Samgaho

### CHAPTER I.

- 1 Buddham Dhammañ ca Samghañ ca namassitvā guṇā-  
layam  
Saddhamma-samgaham nāmapavakkhāmi samāsato
- 2 Nipaccakāra-puññassa katassa ratanattaye  
Ānubhāvena sosetvā antarāye sasesato
- 3 Piṭakaṭhakathāmaggam ādāya sabba-atthato  
Jinasāsana-vuddhattham piṭakattaya-lekhinam
- 4 Pasāda-jananatthañ ca dhimatā racitam idam  
Sunātha sādhavo sabbe sotukāmā idhālayā  
Saddhamma-samgaham nāma paripunṇam anākulam.

Tadattha-dīpanattham ayam-ānupubbikathā. Amhākam kira Bhagavā bodhisatta-bhūto ito kappa satasahassādhi-kānam catunnām asaṅkheyānam matthake catu-vīsatibuddhānam santike laddhavyākarano hutvā sama tīmsa pāramiyo pūretvā paramābhīsambodhim patvā bodhito paṭṭhāya pañcacattālisa-samvāccharāni ṭhatvā caturāsiti dhammadakkhandha - sahassāni desetvā gaṇana-pathātite satte samsārakantārato santāretvā yāva Subhaddaparibbājaka-vinayanayanam tāva sabba-buddha-kiccāni niṭṭhāpetvā Kusinārāyam Salānam antare parinibbanamañcake nipanno parinibbāyi. Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 5 Dipamkarādayo purā Sambuddhe catuvisati  
Āradhetvā mahāviro tehi bodhāya vyākato

- 6 Puretvā paramī sabbā patto sambodhim uttamam  
Uttamo Gotamo Buddho satte dukkhā pamocayi <sup>1</sup>  
7 Sabba-sambuddha-kiccam so katvā santikaram padam  
Parinibbāna-mañcamhi nibbuto lokanāyako ti.

Parinibbute Bhagavati Lokanāthe tattha sannipatitānam sattannam bhikkhu - satasahassānanam samghatthero āyasmā Mahākassapathero sattāha-parinibbute Bhagavati Subhaddena buddhapabbajitena vuttavacanam samanussaranto bhikkhū āmantesi : “ Mayam āvuso dhammañ ca vinayañ ca samgāyeyyama ti.” Bhikku āhamsu : “ Tena hi bhante thero bhikkū uccinātūti.” Atha kho āyasmā Mahākassapo pañca arahanta-bhikkhu-satāni uccinitvā : “ Rājagahe āvuso vassam vasantā dhammañ ca vinayañ ca samgāyeyyāma ti.” Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 8 Satta-sata-sahassāni tesu pāmokkha-bhikkhavo  
Thero Mahākassapo ca samghatthero tadā ahu <sup>2</sup>  
9 Lokanāthe dasabale sattāha-parinibbute  
Dubbhasitam Subhaddassa Buddhassa vacanam saram <sup>3</sup>  
10 Bhikkhupañcasate yeva mahā khināsave vare  
Uccinitvā mahāthero mahāsamgitikātave <sup>4</sup>  
11 Vassānam dutiye māse dutiye divase pana  
Rucire mañdape tasmim therā sannipatimsu te ti. <sup>5</sup>

Atha therā bhikkhū dutiye divase katabhattakiccāvasāne pattacivaram pañsāmetvā Ajātasattunā 'kata - dhammasabhāyam sannipatimsu. Evam nisinne tasmim bhikkhusamghe mahākassapathero bhikkhu āmantesi : “ Āvuso kiñ pañhamam samgāyeyyāma dhammam vā vinayam vā’ti ”

Bhikkhū āhamsu : “ Bhante Mahākassapa vinayo nāma buddhasāsanass’ āyu, vinaye thite sāsanam thitam hoti, tasmā pañhamam vinayam samgāyeyyāmāti.”

<sup>1</sup> Mahāvañsa I. 10, 11

<sup>2</sup> Mahāvañsa III. 4

<sup>3</sup> Ibid. 6

<sup>4</sup> Ibid. 9

<sup>5</sup> Ibid. 26

“ Kam̄ dhuram̄ katvā vinayam̄ samgāyitabban ti ”

“ Āyasmantam̄ Upālim̄ dhuram̄ katvā ti ” āham̄su.

Mahākassapathero vinayam̄ pucchanatthāya attanā va attanam̄ sammanni. Upālitthero vinayam vissajjanatthāya attanā va attanam̄ sammanni. Athāyasmā Upāli utthayāsanā ekam̄sam̄ uttarāsamgam̄ karitvā there bhikkhū vanditvā dhammāsane nisiditvā dantakhacitavijanīm̄ aggahesi. Tato āyasmā Mahākassapo therāsane nisiditvā āyasmantam̄ Upālim̄ pucchi :

“ Paṭhama-pārājikam̄ āvuso kattha paññattan ti ”

“ Vesāliyam̄ bhante ti ”

“ Kam̄ ārabbhā ti ”

“ Sudinnam̄ Kalandakaputtam̄ ārabbhā ti.”

“ Kismim̄ vatthusmim̄ ti.”

“ Methunadhamme ti.”

“ Atha kho āyasmā Mahākassapo āyasmantam̄ Upālim̄ paṭhamassa pārājikassa vatthum pi pucchi nidānam̄ pi pucchi puggalam pi pucchi paññattim pi pucchi anupaññattim pi pucchi āpattim pi pucchi anāpattim pi pucchi.<sup>1</sup>

Yathā paṭhamassa tathā dutiyassa tathā tatiyassa tathā catutthass vatthum pi pucchi . . . pe . . . anāpattim pi pucchi. Puṭṭho puṭṭho Upalitthere vissajjesi. Tato imāni cattāri pārājikāni Pārājikakanḍam̄ nāma idan ti samgaham̄ āropetvā thapesum, terasa samghādisesāni Terasa-kaṇḍan ti thapesum, dve sikkhāpadāni aniyatānīti thapesum, timsa sikkhāpākāni Nissaggiya - pācittiyānīti thapesum, dve navuti sikkhāpadāni Pācittiyānīti thapesum, cattāri sikkhāpadāni Pātidesaniyānīti thapesum, pañca sattati sikkhāpadāni Sekhiyānīti thapesum, satta dhamme Adhikaraṇasamathānīti thapesum.<sup>2</sup> Evam̄ Mahāvibhāmagam̄ samgaham̄ āropetvā Bhikkhuni - vibhaṅge aṭṭhasikkhā padāni Pārājika-kaṇḍam̄ nāma idan ti thapesum, sattarasa sikkhāpadāni Sattarasakaṇḍan ti thapesum, timsa sikkhāpadāni Nissaggiya - pācittiyānīti thapesum, chasatthisata sikkhāpadāni Pācittiyānīti thapesum, aṭṭha sikkhāpadāni Pātidesaniyāhāti thapesum, pañca sattati sikkhāpadāni

<sup>1</sup> Sumangala Vilāsinī, § 29

<sup>2</sup> See *Ibid.* § 32

Sekhiyāniti thapesum, sattadhamme Adhikaraṇasamathā-nīti thapesum.<sup>1</sup> Evam Bhikkhuni-vibhamga samgaham āropetvā eten'eva upāyena Khandhaka-parivāre pi āropesum, evam etam Ubhatovibhamga-Khandhaka-Parivāram Vina-yapiṭakam samgaham ārūḍham sabbam Mahākassapathero pucchi Upālitthero vissajjesi. Pucchā-vissajjanā-pariyosāne pañca arahanta-satāni samgaham āropita niyāmen' eva gaṇasajjhāyam akāmsu. Vinaya samgahāvasāne mahā-pathavi-kampo ahosi.

Atha kho āyasmā Upālitthero danta - khacita - vijanīm nikhipitvā dhammāsanato arohitvā buḍḍhe bhikkhū vanditvā attano pattāsane nisīdi. Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 12 Mahāthero pi attānam vinayam pucchitum sayam  
Sammannūpālitthero ca vissajjetum tam eva tu
- 13 Therāsane nisiditvā vinayam tam apucchi so  
Dammāsane nisiditvā vissajjesi tam eva so
- 14 Vinayaññū tamaggena vissajjita-kamena te  
Sabbe sajjhāyam akarum vinaye naya-kovidā ti.<sup>2</sup>

Atha kho āyasmā Mahākassapo vinayam samgāyitvā dhammam samgāyitukāmo bhikkhū pucchi: “Dhammam samgayantehi kam puggalam dhuram katvā dhammo samgāyiṭabbo ti.” Bhikkhū “Ānandattheram dhuram katvā ti” āhamsu.

Atha kho āyasmā Mahākassapo dhammam pucchanat-thāya attanā va attānam sammanni, Ānandatthero dhammam vissajjanatthāya attanā va attānam sammanni. Āyasmā Ānando uṭṭhāyāsanā ekāmsam cīvaraṁ katvā there bhikkhū vanditvā dhammāsane nisiditvā danta-khacita-vijanīm aggahesi. Mahākassapathero therāsane nisiditvā Ānandattheram dhammam pucchi: “Brahmajālam āvuso Ānanda kattha bhāsitān ti” “Antara ca bhante Rajagaham antarā ca Nālandam rājāgārake Ambalatthikāyan ti” “Kam ārabbhā ti” “Suppiyañ ca paribbājakam Brahmadattañ ca māṇavakam ti.” Atha kho

<sup>1</sup> Sumanigala Vilāsinī, § 33

<sup>2</sup> Mahāvaṇsa III. 31-33

āyasmā Mahakassapo āyasmantam Ānandam Brahmajālassa nidanam pi pucchi puggalam pi pucchi.

Tato param : “Sāmaññaphalam pana āvuso Ānanda kattha bhāsitan” ti ādinā pucchi. “Rājagahe bhante Jivakambavane ti.” “Kena saddhin ti.” “Ajātasattu-Vedehiputtena saddhin ti.” “Atha kko āyasmā Mahākassapo ayasmantam Ānandam Sāmaññaphalassa nidanam pi pucchi puggalam pi pucchi.

Eten’eva upāyena Brahamajāla-suttādi-catuttimsa-sutta-parimāṇam Dīghanikāyam samgāyitvā ayam Dīgha-nikāyo nāmā ti vatvā sajjhāyavasena āyasmantam Ānandam patīcchāpesi : “Āvuso imam tuyham nissitake vācehīti.”

Tato param Mūlapariyāya-suttādi-diyadīlha-satañ c’eva suttaparimāṇam Majjhima-nikāyam samgāyitvā dhammasenāpati Sāriputtatherassa nissitake patīcchāpesi : “Imam tumhe pariherathāti.”

Tatoparam Oghatarana - suttādi-satta - sahassa-sattasata-dvāstthi-sutta parimāṇam Saṃyutta-nikāyam samgāyilvā Mahākassapattheram patīcchāpesi : “Bhante imam tumhākam nissitake vācethāti.”

Tatoparam Cittapariyādāna-suttādi-navasahassa-pañcasata - sattapaññāsa - suttaparimāṇam Aṅguttara - nikāyam samgāyitvā Anuruddhattheram patīcchāpesum : “Imam tumhākam nissitake vācethāti.”

Tatoparam Khuddakapāṭha-Dhammapada-Udāna-Itivuttaka - Suttanipāta - Vimānavatthu - Petavatthu - Theragāthā-Therigāthā - Jātaka-Niddesa - Paṭisambhidā - Apadāna-Buddhavamsa - Cariyāpiṭaka - vasena paññarasappabhedañ Khuddaka-nikāyam samgāyitvā : “Idam Suttantapiṭakam nāmā ti thapesum.

Tatoparam Dhammasaṃgaṇi - Vibhamga - Dhātukathā-Puggalapaññatti - Kathāvattu-Yamaka-Paṭṭhāna-mahāpakarana - vasena sattappabhedañ pakaraṇam samgāyitvā : “Idam Abhidhamma-piṭakam nāmā ti thapesum. Evam saṃgaham arūlhām sabbam Mahākassapatthero pucchi Ānandatthero vissajjesi. Pucchā - vissajjanāpariyosane pañca arahanta-satāni gaṇasajjhāyām akamṣu, Dhammasaṃgahāvasāne mahā paṭhavi-kampo ahosi.

Atha kho āyasmā Ānando dantakhacita-vijanīm nikhi-pitvā dhammāsanto oruhitvā buddhe bhikkhū vanditvā attano pātāsane nisidi. Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 15 Aggam bahussutādīnam kosārakkham mahesino  
Samannitvānā attānam therō dhammam apucchi so  
16 Tathā sammanni attānam dhammāsana-gato sayam  
Vissajesi tam Ānanda-thero dhammam asesato ti.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>2</sup> Sabbam pi buddhavacanam rasavasena ekavidham, dhammavinayavasena duvidham, pathama-majjhima-pacchima vasena tividham, tathā pitakavasena, nikāyavasena pañcavidham, aṅgavasena navavidham, dhammakkhandha-vasena cātūrāsiti sahassavidhan ti veditabbam.

Katham rasavasena ekavidham? yam hi bhagavatā sammā-sambodhi abhisambhujjhitvā yāva anupādhise-sāya nibbānadhātuyā parinibbāyantena etthantare pañca-cattalisa-vassāni deva-manussa-nāga-yakkhādayo anusā-santena paccavekkhantena vā vuttam sabbam tam ekarasam vimuttirasam eva hoti. Evam rasavasena ekavidham.

Katham dhammavinayavasena duvidham? Vinayapitakam vinayo avasesa buddhavacanam dhammo ti evam dhammavinaya-vasena duvidham.

Katham pathama-majjhima-pacchima vasena tividham?  
Tattha

“Anekajāti samsāram sandhāvissam anibbisam  
Gahakārakam gavesanto dukkhā jāti punappunam  
Gahākāraka dittho si puna geham nakāhasi  
Sabbā te phāsukā bhaggā gahakūtam visamkhitam  
Visamkhāragatam cittam taṇhānam khayam ajjhagāti.”

Idam pathama-Buddha-vacanam. Keci “Yada have pātu-bhavanti dhammā ti” khandake udānagātham āhu. Sāpana pātipada-divase sabbaññubhāvappattassa somanasamaya-ñānenā paccayākāram paccavekkhantassa uppānnā

<sup>1</sup> Mahāvānsa III. 34, 35

<sup>2</sup> Sumāngala § 43 seq.

udāna-gāthā ti veditabbā ti idam paṭhama-buddha-vacanam vadanti. Yam parinibbānakāle abhāsi “ Handa dāni bhikkhave vayadhammā saṃkhārā appamādena sampādethāti ” idam pacchima-buddhavacanam. Ubhinnam antare yam vuttam etam majjhima-buddhavacanam. Evam paṭhama-majjhima-pacchima vasena tividham.

Katham piṭakavasena tividham? Sabbam pi h'etam vinayapiṭakam suttantapitakam abhidhamma piṭakam ti tippabhedam eva hoti. Tenāhu porāṇā :

17 Tesu Pārājikam kaṇḍam Pācittiyam athāparam  
Bhikkhuṇinam vibhamgo ca Mahāvaggo tathāparo  
Cūlavaggo Parivāro Vinaya-piṭakam matam.

Idam Vinaya-piṭakam nāma

- 18 Catuttims' eva suttāni tivaggo yassa samgaho  
Esa Digha-nikāyo ti paṭhamo anulomiko  
19 Diyaddhasata suttantā dve ca suttāni yattha so  
Nikāyo Majjhimo pañcasadasavaggapariggaho  
20 Satta suttasahassāni sattasuttasatāni ca  
Dvāsatthi c'eva suttāni eso Saṃyuttasamgaho  
21 Nava suttasahassāni pañca suttasatāni ca  
Sattapaññāsa suttāni saṃkhā Aṅguttare ayam  
22 Khuddakapātho Dhammapadam Udānam Iti-uttakam  
Suttanipāto Vimānam Petavatthum athāparam  
23 Therā Therī ca Jātakam Niddeso Patisambhidā  
Apadānam Buddhavamso Cariyāpiṭakam eva ca  
Paññarasappabhedo 'yam nikāyo khuddako mato.

Idam Suttantapitakan nāma

- 24 Dhammasaṃgani Vibhamgo ca Dhātukathā tathā param  
Tata Puggalapaññatti Kathāvatthuppakaranam  
25 Yamakam atha Paṭṭhānam ime satta-pabhedato  
Abhidhammo ti piṭakam sammāsambuddha-desitan ti.

Idam Abhidhamma-piṭakam nāma. Evam piṭakavasena tividham hoti.

Katham nikāyavasena pañcavidham hoti ? Dīghanikāyo Majjhimanikāyo Samyuttanikāyo Aṅguttaranikāyo Khud-dakanikāyo ti. Tenāhu porāṇā :

26 Thapetvā caturo p'ete nikāye Dīgha-ādike  
Tadaññam buddhavacanam nikāyo khuddako mato ti.<sup>1</sup>

Evam nikāyavasena pañcavidham hoti.

Katham aṅgavasena navavidham ? sabbam eva h'idam suttam geyyam veyyākaranaṁ gāthā udānam iti-uttakam jātakam abbhutadhammam vedallan ti navangappabhedham hoti. Tattha Ubhato-vibhaṅga-Niddesa-Khandaka-Parivārādi Suttanipāte Mañgalasutta-Ratanasutta-Nalaka-sutta-Tuvatākasuttāni aññani pi ca suttanāmakam tathā-gata-vacanam Suttan ti veditabbam. Sabbam pi saghātaka-suttam Geyyan ti veditabbam, visesena Samyuttake sakalo pi saghātakavaggo. Sakalam pi Abhidhammapiṭakam nig-gāthaka-suttam yañ ca aññam pi atthahi aṅgehi asamgahitam buddhavacanam tam Veyyākaraṇan ti veditabbam. Dhammapadam Theragāthā Therigāthā Suttanipāte suttanāmikā suddhikagāthā Gathā ti veditabbā. Somanassa-ñānamayika-gāthā-patisamyuttā dve asiti suttamtā Udānan ti veditabbam. “Vuttam h'etam Bhagavatā ti” ādinayappavattā dasuttara-sata-suttantā Itivuttakan ti veditabbam. Apannakajātakādīni paññasādhikāni pañca jātaka-satāni Jātakan ti veditabbam. “Cattāro me bhikkhave acchariyabbhuta-dhammā Ānande ti” ādinayappavattā sabbe pi acchariyabbhūta-dhamma patisamyutta suttantā Abbhutadhammam ti veditabbam. Cullavedalla-Mahāvedallā-Sammāditthi-Sakkapañña-Saṅkhārabhājaniya-Mahāpuṇḍramasuttantā sabbe pi vedañ ca tutthiñ ca laddhā pucchitā suttantā Vedallan ti veditabbam. Evam aṅgavasena navavidham hoti.

Katham dhammadikkhandhavasena caturāśītisahassaviddham ? Tenāhu porāṇā :

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<sup>1</sup> See Sumaṅgala Vilasini § 58 for most of these verses

- 27 Dvasitīm buddhato gaṇhi dvesahassāni bhikkhuto  
Calurāsīti sahassāni ye 'me dhammā pavattino ti
- 28 Ekavīsa sahassāni khandhā Vinayapitake  
Ekavīsa sahassāni khandhā Suttantapitake  
Dve cattālisa sahassāni khandhā Abhidhamma piṭake  
ti.

Evam paridīpana-dhammadakkhandhasena caturāsīti sahassappabhedam hoti.

Tattha ekānusandhikam suttam eko dhamakkhando, yam anekānusandhikam suttam aneka-dhammadakkhandho. Tattha anusandhivasena dhammadakkhandha - gaṇanā. Gāthā-kandhesu pañhapucchanaṁ eko dhammadakkhando, vissajjanam eko dhammadakkhando. Abhidhamme ekamekaṁ tika-duka-bhājanam ekamekañ ca cittavārabhājanam eko dhammadakkhandho. Vinaye atthi vatthu, tassa tassa sikkhāpadassa vitikkama-vatthu, atthi mātikā atthi padabhājaniyam atthi antarāpatti atthi anāpatti atthi tikacchedo. Tattha ekameko kotthāso ekameko dhammadakkhando ti veditabho. Evam dhammadakkhandhasena caturāsīti sahassavidham hoti. Evamādi anekappabhedam Buddhavacanam samgāyantena Mahākassapamukhena vasīgaṇena “ayam dhammo ayam vinayo” ti ādinā nayappabhedam vavatthapetvā sattahi māsehi samgītam. Samgiti-pariyosāne c'assa : “Idam Mahākassapatherena Dasabalassa sīsanam pañcavassa-sahassapari-māṇa-kālappavattana-samattham katan ti” samjātappa-modā sādhukāram viya dadamānā ayam mahā paṭhavi udakapariyamtamkatvā anekappakāram samkampi sampakampi sampavedhi anekāni ca acchariyāni pātur ahesun.

Ayam paṭhama mahā samgīti nāma. Tenāhu porāṇā : Yā loke

- 29 Satehi pancahi katā tena Pañca-satā ti ca  
Thereh' eva katattā ca Therikā ti pavuccatiti <sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Sumangala, pp. 24, 25. The five following verses are from Mahāvaṇsa, p. 14

- 30 Evam sattahi māsehi dhammasamgiti nitthitā  
Sabbalokahitatthāya sabbalokahitesihi
- 31 Mahākassapatherena idam Sugatasāsanam  
Panca vassa-sahassāni samattham vattate katam
- 32 Atīva-jāta-pāmojjā sandhāraka-jalantikā  
Samgiti-pariyosane chadhā kampi mahā mahi
- 33 Acchariyāni pāhesum loke nekāni nekadhdā  
Thereh' eva katattā ca Theriyā 'yam paramparā
- 34 Pathamam samgaham katva katvā lokahitam bahum  
Te yāvatāyukam thatva thera sabbe pi nibbutā ti
- 35 Evam aniceatam jammim ānatvā durabhisambhavam  
Tuvatam vāyame dhīro yan niccam amatam padan ti.<sup>1</sup>

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhammasamgahe  
paṭhama-mahā-samgiti-vanṇānā  
nitthitā.

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<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāsādika, p. 296

## CHAPTER II.

Athānukkamena gacchantesu rattindivesu vassa-sata-parinibbutे Bhagavati Vesālikā Vajjiputtakā bhikkhu Vesāliyam dasavatthūni dipesum. Katamāni dasavatthūni, Kappati simgilona-kappo, kappati dvāmgula-kappo, kappati gāmantara-kappo, kappati āvasa-kappo, kappati anumati-kappo, kappati āciṇṇa-kappo, kappati amathita-kappo, kappati jalohi pātum, kappati adasakam nisidanam, kappati jātarūparajatan ti. Tesam Susunāgaputto Kālāsoko nāma rājā pakkho ahosi. Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 1 Atite dasame vasse Kālāsokassa rājino  
Sambuddha-parinibbānā evam vassa-satam ahu
- 2 Tadā Vesāliyā bhikkhū anekā Vajjiputtakā  
Dasa vatthūni dipesum kappantīti alajjino.<sup>1</sup>

Tena kho pana samayena āyasmā Yaso Kākaṇḍa-putto Vajjisū cārikam caramāno “Vesalikā kira Vajjiputtakā bhikkhū dasavatthūni dīpentīti” sutvā: “Na kho pan’etam patirūpam, svāham Dasabalassa sāsanavipattim sutvā apposukke bhaveyyam, handāham adhammavādino niggahetvā dhammam dipemīti” cintento yena Vesāliyam tad avasari. Tatra sudam āyasmā Yaso Kākandaputto Vesāliyam viharati Mahāvane kūtā-gāra-sālāyam. Tena kho pana samayena Vesālikā Vajjiputtakā bhikkhū tadahu-posathe kamṣapātim udakena pūretvā majhe bhikkhusamghassa ṭhapetvā āgatāgate Vesālike upāsake evam vadanti : “Dethāvuso samghassa kahāpaṇam pi addham pi pādam pi māsakam pi rūpam pi, bhavissati samghassa parikkhāre karaniyan ti.” Sabbam tāva vattabbam yāva

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<sup>1</sup> Mahāvānsa, iv. 8, 9

imaya samgītiyā sattahi bhikkhusatāni anūnāni anadhikāni ahesum. Tasmāyam vinaya-samgīti satta-satikā ti pavuccati. Etasmiñ ca sannipāte dvādasa bhikkhu-satasahasrāni sannipatimsu. Āyasmatā Yasena Kākanḍaputtena samussāhitena tesam majhe āyasmatā Revatena puṭṭhenā Sabbakāmittherena vinayam vissajjentena tāni dasavatthūni vinicchitānicchitāni adhikaraṇam vūpasamitam. Atha therā pana dhammañ ca vinayañ ca samgāyissāmā ti vatvā tipitakadhare patta-patisambhide satta sate arahante bhikkhū uccinitvā Vesaliyam Vālukārāme sannisidhītvā Mahākassapattherena samgayita-sadisam eva sabbam sāsanamalam sodhetvā puna piṭaka-vasena ca nikāya-vasena ca amga-vasena ca dhammakkhandha-vasena ca sabbam dhammadvinayam samgāyinsu. Ayam samgīti atthahi māsehi niṭṭhitām. Tenāhu porāṇā :<sup>1</sup> yā loke

- 3 Satehi sattahi katā tena Satta-satā ti ca  
Pubbe katañ upādāya Dutiyā ti pavuccati
- 4 Yehi therehi samgītā Samgīti tehi vissutā  
Sabbakāmī ca Sālho ca Revato Khujjasobhito
- 5 Yaso ca Sāṇasambhūto ete saddhivihārikā  
Therā Ānandattherassa dittha-pubbā tathāgatām
- 6 Sumano vāsabhagāmī ca neyyā saddhivihārikā  
Dve ime Anuruddhassa dittha-pubbā tathāgatām
- 7 Dutiyo pana samgīto yehi therehi samgaho  
Sabbe pi patita-bhārā kata-kiccā anāsavā
- 8 Sabbakāmippabhutayo te pi therā mahiddhikā  
Aggikkhandā va lokamhi jalitvā parinibbutā
- 9 Evam aniccatam jammim īnatvā durabhisambhavam  
Yuvatam vāyame dhīro yam niccam amatam phalan ti.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhammasamgahe  
dutiya-samgīti-vāṇṇanā  
niṭṭhita.

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<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāsādikā, pp. 294, 296

## CHAPTER III.

Sammāsambuddha-parinibbānato dvinnam vassasatānam upari atthavīsatime vasse sabbe añnatitthiyā satthi-sahassa-mattā vihīna-lābhassakkārā hutvā antamaso għas-acchādanam pi alabħantā lābħassakkāram patthayamānā sayam eva muñde katvā kāsāyāni acchādetvā vihāresu vicarantā uposathādikammam pi pavisanti. Sāsanass' abbudañ ca malañ ca kanthakañ ca samuṭṭhāpesum,<sup>1</sup> tasmā imasmim sakala-Jambudipe bhikkhu-samgho cha samvaccharāni uposatha-kammam na-akāsi. Tadā Asoko dhammarājā paññarasavassābhiseko ahosi. Rājā sāsanam visodhetu kāmo Asokārāme bhikkhu-samgham sannipātā-pesi. Tasmin sannipatite āyasmā Moggaliputtatissatthero samgatthero hutvā rājanam samayam ugganāhesi. Rājā añña titthiye puechitvā “na ime bhikkhū añnatitthiyā ime ti” ñatvā setavatthāni datvā uppabbājesi. Tato Rājā: “Suddham dāni bhante sāsanam, karotu bhikkhu-samgho uposathan” ti ārakkham datvā, ngaram eva pāvisi. Samaggo samgho sannipatitvā uposatham akāsi.<sup>2</sup> Tenahu porānā :

- 9 Sambuddha-parinibbānā dve ca vassa-satāni ca  
Atthavīsatī vassāni Rājāsoko mahīpati<sup>3</sup>
- 10 Vasanto tathā sattāham rājuyyane manorame  
Sikhanto so mahīpalo sambuddha-samayaṁ subham
- 11 Tasmin yeva ca sattāhe dve ca yakkhe mahīpati  
Pesetvā mahiyam bhikkhū asese sannipātayi
- 12 Sattame divase gantvā sakārāmam manoramam  
Kāresi bhikkhu-samghassa sannipātam asesato<sup>4</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāśādikā, pp. 306, 7

<sup>2</sup> Ibid. 312

<sup>3</sup> Compare Dīpavaṇsa, vi. 1

<sup>4</sup> Verses 10–12 are from the Mahāvaṇsa ch. v. (p. 41)

- 13 Te micchāditthike sabbe pucchitvā aññatitthiye  
     Ñatvā satthi sahassāni uppabbajesi bhūpati
- 14 'Samgho visodhito yasmā tasmā samgho uposatham  
     Karotu bhante' iccevam vtvā therassa bhūpati
- 15 Samghassa rakkham datvāna nagaram pāvisi subham  
     Samgho samaggo hutvāna tadā 'kasi uposathan ti.<sup>1</sup>

Tasmim samāgame Moggaliputtatissatthero parappa-  
     vādām maddamāno Kathāvatthuppakaraṇam abhāsi.  
     Tato satthisatasahassa-samkhāsu bhikkhūsu uccinitvā tipi-  
     taka-pariyatti-dharānam pabbhonna-patisambhidānam tevij-  
     jādi-bhedānam bhikkūnam sahassam ekam gahetvā yathā  
     Mahākassapatthero ca Yasattthero ca piṭaka-vasena ca  
     nikāya-vasena ca aṅga-vasena ca dhammakkhandha-vasena  
     ca dhammañ ca vinayañ ca samgāyimsu. Evamevañ  
     dhammañ ca vinayañ ca samgāyanto Mahāmoggaliputta-  
     tissatthero sabbam sāsanamalam visodhetvā tatiya-  
     samgītim akāsi. Samgīti-pariyosāne anekappakāram ma-  
     hāpathavi-kampo ahosi. Ayam samgīti navahi māsehi  
     niṭṭhitā. Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 16 Mahākassapāthero ca Yasatthero ca kārayum  
     Yathā te dhamma samgītim Tissatthero pi tam tathā
- 17 Kathāvatthuppakaraṇam-paravādappamaddanam  
     Abhāsi Tissatthero ca tasmim samgīti-mandale
- 18 Evam bhikkhu-sahassena rakkhāy' Āsokarājino  
     Ayam navahi masehi dhammasamgīti niṭṭhitā<sup>2</sup>
- 19 Tatiyam samgaham katvā katvā loka-hitam bahum  
     Te yāvatāyukam thatvā therā sabbepi nibbutā
- 20 Evam aniccatam jammim ñatvā durabhisambhavam  
     Tuvaṭam vāyame dhīro yam niccam amataṁ padan ti.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhamma samgahe tatiya-  
     samgīti-vanṇanā niṭṭhitā.

<sup>1</sup> Verses 14, 15 are from the Mahāvānsa, ch. v. p. 42

<sup>2</sup> Verses 16–18 are in the Mahāvānsa, loc. cit.

## CHAPTER IV.

Tatrrāyam ānupubbikathā. Moggaliputta-Tissatthero kira imam tatiya-saṅgītiñ katvā evam cintesi: “Kattha nu kho anāgate sāsanam supatitthitam bhaveyyāti” athassa upaparikkhato etadahosi: “Paccantimesu jana-padesu supatitthitam bhavisstīti.” So tesam bhikkhūnam bhāram katvā te te bhikkhū tattha tattha pesesi. Majjhantikattheram Kasmīra-Gandhārarattham pesesi: “Tvam etam rattham gantvā etthā sāsanam patitthāpehiti.” Mahādevattheram tath'eva vatvā Mahisa-maṇḍalam pesesi, Rakkhitattheram Vanavāsim, Yonaka-Dhammarakkhitattheram Aparantakam, Mahādhammarakkhitattheram Mahārattham, Mahārakkhitattheram Yonakalokam, Majjhimattheram Himavanta-padesam, Sonakatheram Utta-rattherañ ca Suvaṇṇabhūmim, attano saddhivihārikam Mahindattheram Iṭṭhiyattherena Uttiyattherena Sambalattherena Bhaddasālattherema saddhim Lamkādipam pesesi: ‘tumhe Lamkādipam gantvā tattha sāsanam patitthāpethāti.’ . . . Sabbe pi tam tam disabhāgam gae-chantā atta-pañcamā va agamamṣu: ‘Paccantimesu jana-padesu pañca-vaggo gaṇo alam upasampada-kammayāti.’ Tenāhu porāṇā :<sup>1</sup>

- 1 Thero Moggaliputto so jinasāsana-jotako  
Nitthāpetvāna saṅgītim pekkhamāno anāgatam
- 2 Sāsanassa patitthānam paccantesu apekkhiya  
Pesesi kattike māse te te therā tahim tahim
- 3 Theram Kasmīra-gandhāram Majjhantikam apesayi  
Apesayi Mahādevattheram Mahisa-maṇḍalam
- 4 Vanavāsim apesesi theram Rakkhita-nāmakam  
Tath' Āparantakam Yona-Dhammarakkhita-nāmakam

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<sup>1</sup> These are the opening verses of the 12th ch. of the Mahāvānsa

- 5 Mahāratṭham Mahādhammarakkhitathera-nāmakam  
Mahārakkhita-theran tu Yonalokam apesayi  
6 Pesesi Majjhimattheram Himavanta-padesakam  
Suvannabhūmim there dve Sonam Uttaram eva ca  
7 Mahā Mahindattherena theram Iṭṭhiyam Uttiyam  
Sambalam Bhaddasalañ ca sake saddhi-vihārike  
8 ‘Lamkādipe manuññamhi manuññam jinasāsānam  
Patitthāpetha tumhe ti’ pañca there apesayīti.

Mahindatthero pana ‘Lañkādipam gantvā sāsanam patiṭṭhāpehīti’ upajjhāyena ca bhikkhu-saṅghena ca ajjhithto cintesi : “Samayo nu kho idāni Lamkādipam gaṇtum ti.” Tadā Sakko devānam indo Mahindattheram upasam̄kamitvā etad avoca : ‘Kālakato bhante Muṭasīvarājā, idāni Devānampiyatissa-mahārājā rajjam kāreti. Sammā Sambuddhena ca tumhe vyākata : ‘Anāgate Mahindo nāma bhikkhu Lamkādipam pasādessatīti.’ Tasmāt iha vo bhante kālo dīpavaram gamanāya, aham pi vo sahāyo bhavissāmiti.”<sup>1</sup> Tenāhu porāñā :<sup>2</sup>

- 9 Mahinbo nāma nāmena samghatthero tadā ahū Iṭṭhiyo Uttiyo thero Bhaddasalo ca Sambalo  
10 Sāmanero ca Sumano cha labhiñño mahiddhiko Bhanduko sattamo tesam ditthasacco upāsako  
11 Pesitā Jambudīpā te hamṣarajā va ambare Evam uppatisā therā nipatiñsu naguttame  
12 Purato purasetṭhassa pabbate megha-saññibhe Patitthahimisū kūtamhi hamṣā va nabha-muddhanīti.”

<sup>3</sup> Evam Iṭṭhiyādihi saddhim āgantvā Missaka-pabbate patitthahanto ca āyasmā Mahindatthero sammā-sambuddhassa parinibbānato dvinnam vassasatānam upari chatti-msatime vasse imasmim dipe patitthāhīti veditabbo.

<sup>1</sup> Compare Samanta Pāsādikā, p. 319

<sup>2</sup> With verses 9, 10, compare Dipavañsa, xii. 12–18, and with verses 9–12 *ibid.* xii. 36–40

<sup>3</sup> Samanta Pāsādikā, p. 321

Tasmiñ ca pana divase Lamkādipe Jetthamūla-nakkhattam nāma hoti. Devanampiyatissa - mahārājā nakkhattam ghosāpetvā ‘chanam karothāti’ amacce ānāpetvā cattalisa-purisa-sahassa parivāro nagaramhā nikkhamitvā yena Missaka-pabbato tena pāyāsi migavam kilitu-kāmo. Atha kho tasmīm pabbate adhivattā ekā devatā ‘Rañño there dassessāmiti’ rohita-miga-rūpam gahetvā rañño avidūre tiṇam khādiyamāno viya carati. Tadā rājā jiyam potthesi. Migo Ambatthalā-maggam gahetvā palāyitum ārabhi. Rājā pitthito pitthito anubandhanto Ambatthalam eva abhiruhi. Migo pi therānam avidūre antaradhayi. Mahindathero rājānam avidūre āgacchantam disvā mamam yeva rājāpassatu mā itareti adhitthahitvā ‘Tissa Tissa ito ehitī’ āha. Rājā Sutvā cintesi: ‘Imasmim dipejāto mam Tissāti nāmam gahetvā ālapitum samatttho nāma natthi, ayam pana chinnā-bhinna-patadharo bhaṇḍu kāsāvavasano mam nāmena ālapati, ko nu klio ayam bhavissati manusso vā amanusso vāti.’ Thero āha :

‘ Samanā mayam maharajā Dhammarajassa sāvakā  
Tam eva anukampāya Jambudipā idhāgatā ti ’

<sup>1</sup> Rājā therassa vacanam sutvā tāvad eva āyudham nikhipitvā ekamantam nisidi sammodanīyam katham kathayamāno. Yathāha :

Āyudham nikhipitvāna ekamantam upāvisi  
Nisajja rājā sammodi bahum athūpasamphitan ti

Tasmīm khaṇe tani pi cattalisa-purisa-sahassāni āgantvā tam parivāresun. Tadā therō itare pi cha Jane dassesi. Rājā te disvā: ‘Ime kadā agatā ti’ āha. ‘Mayā saddhim yeva mahārājāti.’ ‘Idāni pana Jambudipe aññe pi evarupā samaṇā santīti. “Santi maharāja etarahi Jambudipo kāsāva-pajjoto isivātarivāto ti<sup>2</sup> vatvā gathām āha :

<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāsādikā, p. 323

<sup>2</sup> See Milinda, p. 19. Saddhānanda reads here *pativāto*

“Tevijjā iddhippattā ca ceto-pariyāya-kovidā  
Khiṇasavā arahantā bahū Buddhassa sāvakā ti

‘Bhante kena maggena āgatathāti’ ‘N’eva mahārāja udakena na thalenāti’ rājā ākāsenā āgatā ti aññāsi. Thero ambopama-pañham pucchi. Rājā vissajjesi.<sup>1</sup>

Atha thero: ‘paññito rājā sakkhissati dhammam aññatun ti’ Cūlahatthipadopama-suttam kthesi. Kathā-pariyosāne rājā tīsu saranesu patitthahi saddhim cattalisa-pāṇa-sahashehi. ‘Bhante sve ratham pesissāmi tam ratham abhiruhitvā āgaccheyyāthāti vatvā vanditvā pakkāmi.

Thero acira-pakkantassa rañño Sumana-sāmaneram āmantesi: ‘Ehi tvam Sumana dhammasavanassa kālam ghosehiti’ ‘Bhante kittakam thānam sāvento ghosemiti’ ‘Sakalam Lamkādipan ti.’ ‘Sādhū bhante’ ti sāmañero abhiññāpādakam catutthajjhānam samāpajjitvā utthāya adhitthahitvā samāhitena cittena Sakala-Lamkādipam sāvento tikkhattum dhammasavanassa kālam ghosesi, Rājā tam saddam sutvā therānam santike pesesi: ‘Kim bhante atthi koci upaddavo ti’ ‘natth’ amhākam koci upaddavo, dhammasavanassa ghosāpayimha buddhava-canam kathetu-kām’ amhā ti.’ Tañ ca pana sāmanerassa saddam sutvā bhummā devatā saddam anussāvesnum. Eten’ upāyena yāva Brahmalokā saddo abbhuggañci, tena saddena mahā devānam sannipāto ahosi. Thero mahantam devānam sannipātam disvā Samacitta-suttantam kthesi, kathā-pariyosāne asamkheyānam devānam dhammābhissamayo ahosi, bahū nāga-supanñā ca saranesu patitthahimsu.

<sup>2</sup>Atha tassā rattiyā accayena rājā therānam ratham pesesi. So sārathi rātham ekam antam thapetvā therānam ārocesi: ‘Ābhato bhante ratho abhiruyihatha gacchissāmāti’ Therā ‘na mayam ratham abhiruhāma, gaccha tvam pacchā mayam gacchissāmāti’ vatvā vehāsam abbhuggantvā Anurādhapurassa puratthima-disāyam

<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāsādikā, p. 324.

<sup>2</sup> Ibid. p. 325

Pathamakacetiyatthānam otarim̄su. Tamhi cetiyam therehi pathamam̄ otiṇṇatthāne katattā yeva Pathamaka-cetiyan ti vuccati. So sārathi addasa there pathamataram̄ āgantvā kāyabandhanam̄ bandhitvā cīvaraṁ pārupante. Disvā ativiyapasanna-citto hutvā āgantvā rañño ārocesi :

‘Āgatā deva therā ti.’ Rājā ‘ratham̄ ārūlhāti’ pucchi.

‘Na ārūlhā deva.’ Api ca mama paccato nikhamitvā pathamataram̄ āgantvā pācīnadvāre thitā ti. Rājā pi gantvā there vanditvā Mahindattherassa hatthāto pattam̄ gahetvā mahatiyā pūjāya ca sakkārena ca there nagaram̄ pavesetvā antonivesanam̄ pavesesi.

Thero niccalam̄ āsanam̄ paññattam̄ disvā : ‘amhākam̄ satthusāsanam̄ sakala-Lamkādīpe pathaviyam̄ patiṭṭhitam̄ niccalāñ ca hutvā patiṭṭha hissatīti’ cintento nisidi.

Rājā there paññitena khādaniyena bhojaniyena sahatthā santappesi. Thero katabhattachicco rañño saparijanassa dhammaratana-vassam vassento Petavatthu-vimānavathu-Saccasamyuttañ ca kathesi. Tam therassa dhammadesanam̄ sutvā tāni pañca pi itthisatāni sotāpattiphalam̄ sacchimakamsu. Dhammadesanāvasāne sāyañha-samaye amaccā Mahāmeghavanuyyānam̄ there nayimsu, therā Meghavanuyyāne vasimsu.

<sup>1</sup> Rājā pi kho tassā rattiya accayena therassa samīpam̄ gantva sukhasayitabhāvan̄i pucchitvā : ‘Kappati bhante bhikkhu-samghassa ārāmo ti’ pucchi. Thero ‘kappati mahārajāti’ āha. Rājā tuṭṭho suvaṇṇa - bhimkāram̄ gahetvā therassa hatthe udakam̄ pātētvā Mahāmeghavanuyyānam adāsi. Saha udakapātena pathavi kampi. Thero sattadivasāni dhammañ kathesi. Addhanavappamāna-pāna-sahassānam̄ dhammābhīsamayo ahosi. Thero Cetiyagirim eva agami, rājā pi tattha agamāsi.

Tam̄ divasam̄ Ariṭṭho nāma amacco pañca paññāsāya jettha-kaniṭṭha-bhātukehi saddhim̄ rajānam̄ vanditvā evam̄ āha : ‘icchām’ aham̄ deva therānam̄ santike pabbajitun ti.’ Rājā : ‘Sādhu bhane pabbajissasīti’ anujānitvā theram̄

<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāsādikā, p. 327

sampaṭicchāpesi. Thero tadaḥ' eva pabbājesi, sabbe khuragge yeva arahattam pāpuniṁsu. Tenāhu porāṇā:<sup>1</sup>

- 13 Kāntaka-cetiyatthāne parito tadaḥ' eva so  
Kammāni ārabhā petvālenāni attha-satthiyo
- 14 Agamāsi puram rājā thera tatth' eva te vassum  
Kāle piṇḍāya nagaram pavasantānukampakā
- 15 Nitthite leñakammamhi Āsālhi-puṇṇamāsiyam  
Gantvā adāsi therānam rājā vihāra-dakkhiṇam
- 16 Dvattimṣa-mālakānañ ca vihārassa ca tassa kho  
Simam sīmatiko thero bandhitvā tadaḥ' eva so
- 17 Tesam pabbajjāpekkhānam akāsi upasampadam  
Sabbesam sabba-paṭhamam baddhe Tumbaru-mālakē
- 18 Ete dvā-satthi-arahanto sabbe Cetiya-pabbase  
Tattha vassam upagantvā akamṣu rājasamgahan ti.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhamma samgahe Cetiya-pabbato-vihāra-patiggahaṇa-vanṇanā nitthitā.

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<sup>1</sup> Mahāvaiśa, chap. xvi. p. 103

## CHAPTER V.

Tato param Thūpārāme dakkhiṇakkhaka-dhātu-patiṭṭhāpana-divase yamaka-pāṭīhāriye disvā nagarā pabbajitā sabbe timsa-bhikkhu-sahassāni ahesum. Taṭo param Mahābodhi-patiṭṭhāpana-divase Anulādevī pañcahi kaññāsatehi pancahi antepurithikāsatehiti mātugāma-sahasseehi saddhim Samghamittattheriyā santike pabbajitvā na cirass' eva saparivārā arahatte patiṭṭhāsi. Aritṭho pi kho rañño bhāgineyyo pañcahi purisa-satehi saddhim therassa santike pabbajitvā na cirass' eva arahatte patiṭṭhāsi.

<sup>1</sup>Atha kho rājā Mahindattheram pucchi : ‘Patiṭṭhitam nu kho bhante Laṅkādipe sāsanam ti.’ ‘Patiṭṭhitam mahā rāja sāsanam, sānassa mūlāni na tāva otarantiti.’ ‘Kadā pana bhante mūlāni otinnāni nāma bhavissantiti.’ ‘Yadā mahārājā Laṅkādipikānam mātāpitunnam Laṅkādipe jāto dārako Laṅkādipe pabbajitvā Laṅkādipamhi yeva Vinayam uggahetvā Laṅkādipe vācessati tadā sasanassa mūlāni otinnāni nama bhavissantīti.’ ‘Atthi pana bhante ediso bhikkhūti.’ ‘Atthi mahārājā Mahā-aritṭho nāma bhikkhu patibalo etasmim kamme ti.’

‘Mayā ettha bhante kim kāttabbam ti.’

‘Maṇḍapam mahārāja kātum vaṭṭatiti.’

‘Sādu bhante’ ti rājā Meghavannābhayassa amaccassa parivenaṭṭhāne mahāsamgiti-kāle : ‘Ajātasattu-mahārājena kata maṇḍapākāram rājānubhāvena maṇḍapam kārāpetvā sabba tālavacare saka-saka-sippesu yojetvā sāsanassa mūlāni otarantāni passissamāti’ anekapurisahassaparivuto Thūpārāmam anuppatto.

Tena kho pana samayena Thūpārāme bhikkhu-sahassāni sannipatimsu. Mahāmahindattherassa āsanānam dakkhiṇābhimukham paññattam hoti. Mahā-aritṭhattherassa

<sup>1</sup> Samanta Pāsādikā, p. 341-343

dhammāsanam uttarābhimukham paññattam hoti. Atha kho mahā-Ariṭṭhatthero mahindattherena ajjhittiko there bhikkhu vanditvā attano anurūpena pāttānukkamena dhammāsane nisidi. Mahindattherappamukhā atthasatthi mahātherā dhammāsanam parivaretvā nisidimsu. Rañño pi kanithabhātā mantabhayatthero nāma ‘dhuraggāho hutvā Vinayam uggañhissāmiti’ pañcahi bhikkhu satehi saddhim mahā Ariṭṭhattherassa dhammāsanam parivaretvā nisidi. Avasesā pi bhikkhu sarajikāya parisāya attano attano pāttāsane nisidimsu.

Athāyasmā mahā Ariṭṭhatthero : ‘Tena samayena Buddho Bhagavā Verañjāyam viharati Naleru-pucimanda-mūle’ ti Vinaya-nidānam abhāsi bhāsite ca pan’āyasmata Ariṭṭhattherena Vinayanidāne ākāse mahāviravam viravi akālavijjublatā niccharīmsu, devata sadhukāram adamsu, mahāpaṭhāvi udakapariyantam katvā saṃkampi. Evam anekesu pāṭihāryesu vattamanesu āyasmā Ariṭṭhatthero mahindatthera-pamukhehi attha satthiyā paccekagaṇehi khīṇāsava-mahātherēhi tadaññehi satthisahassehi bhikkhū parivuto mahā - paṭhama - Kattika-pavāraṇa - divase Thūpārāma-vihāra-majjhe satthu karunā-dīpakam Bhagavato anusitthakāranam kāyakamma-vacīkamma-vipphandita-vinaya-karam Vinayapiṭakam pakāsesi. Yathā mahā-kassapatthero ca Yasatthero ca Moggaliputtatissatthero ca piṭaka-vasena ca nikāya-vasena ca aṅga-vasena ca dhammakkhandha-vasena ca dhammañ ca vinayañ ca samgāyīmsu, evam dhammadvinayañ ca samgāyanto Mahā Mahindatthero Lamkādipe sāsanassa mūlam otāretvā catuttha-samgītim akāsi.

Samgīti pariyosāne anekappakāro mahāpaṭhavikampo ahosi. Ayam samgīti aniyamita-kalehi niṭṭhitā. Tenāhu porāṇā :<sup>1</sup>

19 Sambuddha-parinibbānā dvīsu vassasatesu ca  
Atṭhatimse atikkante rājāhu Piyatissako

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<sup>1</sup> The verses 19–22 are not given in the Samanta Pāsādikā loc. cit., and verse 25 differs

- 10 Mahākassapathero ca Yaso Tisso ca kārāyum  
Yathā te dhammasamgītim Mahindo so pi tam tathā  
21 Mahāmahindatthero tu jinasāsanam uttamam  
Pariyattim paṭipattim paṭivedhañ ca sādhukam  
22 Laṅkādīpamhi dīpetvā Laṅkādipo mabāmuni  
Laṅkāya so satthukappo katvā Laṅkāhitam bahum  
23 Atthasaṭṭhi mahātherā dhuraggāhā samāgatā  
Pacekagaṇino sabbe dhammarājassa sāvakā  
24 Khīnāsvā vasippattā tevijjā iddhikovidā  
Uttamattham abhiññāya anusāsimsu rājino  
25 Catuttham samgaham katvā katvā lokahitam bahum  
Jalitvā aggikkhandhā va nibbāyiṁsu mahesayo ti.  
26 Evam aniccatam jammim nātvā durabhisambhavam  
Tuvatam vāyame dhīro yaṁ niccam amataṁ phalam.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhammasamgahe catuttha-  
samgiti-vāṇṇanā niṭṭhitā.

## CHAPTER VI.

Tesam parinibbānato aparabhāge aññe pi tesam therānam antevāsikā Tissa-Danta-Kālasumana-Dīghasumana ādayo ca Mahā-Ariṭṭhattherassa antevāsikā cāti evam pubbe vuttappakāra-ācariya-paramparā imam vinayapiṭakam yāvajjatanā ānesum. Tena vuttam : “Tatiyasamgahato pana imam Laṅkādipam Mahindādīhi ābhatam Mahindato uggahetvā kiñci kālam Ariṭṭhattherādīhi ābhatam, tato yāvajjatanā tesam yeva antevāsika paramparābhūtāya ācariya paramparāya ābhatan ti.”

Kattha patiṭṭhitān ti? yesam pālito ca atthato ca anūnam pavattati, mañighate pakkhitta-telam iva īsakam pi na paggharati, evarūpesu satigatidhitimantesu lajjīsu kukkuccakesu sikkhākāmesu puggalesu patiṭṭhitān ti veditabbam. Tasma Vinayapiṭakam patiṭṭhāpanattham Vinaya-pariyattiyanisam̄saṁ sallekhetvā sikkhākāmena bhikkhunā vinayo pariyāpunitabbo. Tatratyam vinaya-pariyattiyanisam̄so. Vinaya-pariyatti-kusalo hi puggalo paṭiladdha - saddhānam kulaputtānam mātāpitūṭṭhāniyo hoti, ta dāyam tāhi tesam pabbajjā upasampadā vattānuvatta-patipatti ācāragocara-kusalatā, api c' assa Vinaya-pariyattim nissāya attano sīlakkhandho sugutto hoti surakkhito, kukkucca-pakatānam bhikkhūnam patisaranam hoti, visārado sam̄ghamajjhē voharati, paccattike sahādhammena suniggahitam nigganhāti, ye cāpi sam̄vara-mūlakā kusaladhammā vuttā Bhagavatā vinayadharo puggalo tesam dhammānam dāyādo vinayamūlakattā tesam dhammānam. Vuttam pi c' etam Bhagavatā :

“Vinayo sam̄varatthāya sam̄varo avippatisāratthāya avippatisāro pāmojjatthāya pāmojjam pitatthāya piti passaddhatthāya passaddhi sukhatthāya sukhām samā-dhatthāya samādhi yathābhūtañānadassanāya yathābhū-

taññānadassanam nibbidatthāya nibbidā virāgatthāya virāgo vimuttatthāya vimutti vimuttiñānadassanathaya vimuttiñānadassanam anupādāya parinibbānatthāyāti.”

Tasmā vinayapariyattiā āyogo karaniyo ti. Tenāhu :

- 1 Devanampiya-tisso so Laṅkīndo puñña-paññavā  
Cattālisañ ca vassāni rājā rajjam akārayī<sup>1</sup>
- 2 Tassaccaye kaniṭṭho so Uttiyo iti vissuto  
Anurādhapure ramme rajjam kāresi khattiyo
- 3 Uparājā Mahānāgo Yatālo yo mahabbalo  
Goṭhābhayo mahāpuñño Kakavaṇṇo ca viriyavā
- 4 Cattāro te ca rājāno puttā-natta-paramparā  
Dhammena rajjam kāresum Mahāgāme manorame ti.

Sammasambuddhassa parinibbānato chasattativassādhi-ka-tisata - saṃvacechare Duṭṭhagāmini-abhaya - mahārājā Laṅkādipe ekarajjam patvā Maricavaṭṭi-vihāram kārāpetva navabhūmikam Lohapāsādam kārāpetvā ratanavālikam Mahāthūpam sanniṭṭhāpetvā channavutikoṭi - arahante bhikkhū sannipātētvā mahādānam datvā catuvīsativassāni Anurādhapure dhammena samena rajjam kāretvā āyupariyosāne puttappabuddho viya Tusita-bhavane nibbatti. Tena kho pana samayena Laṅkādipavasi bhikkhu-saṃgho sāsanassa vuddhatthāya mukhapāṭhena paramparāya ānitam tepiṭaka buddha-vacanam sabbam sāṭṭhakathañ ca pāliñ ca pariyāpuninsu. Tenāhu porāṇā :<sup>2</sup>

- 5 Sambuddha-parinibbānā dvīsu vassa-satesu ca  
Cha sattaty atikkantesu rājāhu Duṭṭha-gāmini
- 6 Duttha-gāmini-abhoyo Laṅkīndo puñña-paññavā  
Catu visati vassāni Laṅkārajjam akārayi
- 7 Evam puññāni katvāna anekāni mahipati  
Kāyassa bhedā sappañño Tusitesūpapajatha  
Duṭṭhagāmini-abhaya-mahārājuppatti-kathā

<sup>1</sup> For verse 1 compare Dīpavaṇīsa, xvii. p. 92; for verse 2, Mahāvaṇīsa, xx. p. 124

<sup>2</sup> I cannot trace these verses. With 7 compare Dīpavaṇīsa, xix. 23 and Mahāvaṇīsa, p. 199

Tato Mahā-thūpa-patitīthānāto satta-paññāsa-samvaccharesu atikkantesu Vattagāmini-abhaya-mahārājā Lamkādipe rajjam kāresi. So rājā Abhayagire-mahāvihāram kārāpetvā tasmin vihāre sadhātukam mahāthūpapamānam mahantam cetiyam kārāpetvā Mahātissatthera pamukhassa bhikkhu-samghassa nīyādesi.

Tena kho pana samayena Laṅkādīpavāsi bhikkhu-samgho sāsanassaca lokassaca parihīnabhāvam īnatvā sabbe bhikkhu dhammadharā vinayadharā bahussutā pabbhinnapatisambhidā Mahāvihāre sannipatimsu. Tadā Vattagāmini-abhaya-maharājā Mahāvihāram gantvā yena bhikkhu-samgho ten' upasamkami upasamkamitvā bhikkhu-samgham vanditvā ekam antam nīsidi. Atha kho bhikkhu-samgho rājānam etad avoca : 'Mahārāja mukha-pāṭhena paramparāya ānitam tepiṭakam buddhavacanam sabbam sāṭṭhakathañ ca pāliñ ca idāni mukha-pāṭhesu titṭhati. Anāgate pana sāsanassa ca lokassa ca parihāni bhavissati, sabbam tepiṭakam buddhavacanam sāṭṭhakatham pāliñ ca parihāyissati. Tasmā dāni mukha-pāṭhato tepitakam buddhavacanam sabbam sāṭṭhakaṭhañ ca pāliñ ca potthakesu likhāpetabbam bhavyeyyāti. 'Mayā ettha bhante kim-kātabban ti.' 'Mandapam mahārāja kārāpetum sabbam potthakapanṇam sampādetum ca vattatiti.' 'Sādhū bhante' ti rājā Mahāvihāre mahāsamgiti kale Ajātasattu-mahārājena kata-maṇḍapākāram rājānubhāvena maṇḍapam kārāpetvā sabbam potthaka-paṇṇam sampādetvā mahārahāni āsanāni maṇḍapa-majjhe paññāpetvā bhikkhu-samghassa arocāpesi : 'Nīṭhitam bhante rañño kiccan ti.'

Tadā bhikkhusamgho aneka - sata - sahassa - samkhāsu bhikkhūsu uccinitvā tepiṭaka - pariyatti - dharānam pabbhinnapatisambhidānam tevijjādi-bhedānam bhikkhūnam aneka-sahassamatte there bhikkhū aggahesi atha kho therā bhikkhū attano attano pattāsane nīsīditvā yathā Mahākassapatthero ca Yasatthero ca Tissatthero ca Mahindatthero ca dhammavinayam samgāyamanā piṭakavasena ca nikaya-vasena ca aṅgavasena ca dhammakkhandha-vasena ca dhammavinayam samgāyiṁsu. Evam eva bhikkhu-samgho dhammañ ca vinayañ ca mukha-

pāthato potthakesu likhāpayamāno piṭakā-vasena ca nikāya-vasena ca aṅga-vasena ca dhammakkhandha-vasena ca dhammadviṇaya-samkhātam̄ tepiṭṭakam̄ bhud-dhavacanam̄ sātthakathañ ca potthakesu likhāpayitevā pañca vassa-sahassāni sāsanassa ciratthitim̄ katvā pañcamam̄ dhamma-saṅgīti-sadisam̄ eva akāsi. Dhamma-likhitapariyosāne anekappākārena mahāpāṭhavi kampo ahosi. Ayam piṭakattayalekhanā ekasam̄vaccharena nittihitā. Tenāhu porānā :<sup>1</sup>

- 8 Sambuddha-parinibbānā catuvassa satesu ca  
Tettimses' atikkantesu rājāhu Vatta-gāmini
- 9 Laṅkāvāsi bhikkhu-samgho pekkhamāno anāgataṁ  
Hāniṁ disvāna sattānam̄ tadā bhikkhū samāgata
- 10 Tepiṭakadharā sabbe pabbhinna-patisambhidā  
Khīṇāsavā vasippattā vinaye suvisāradā
- 11 Tasmiṁ Mahāvihāre ca therā bhikkhū samāgata  
Paṭipātiyā sannisinnā saka-sakepattāsane
- 12 Pitakattaya-pāliñ ca tassā attthakathañ ca tam  
Mukhapāṭhena ānesum̄ pubbe bhikkhū mahāmatī
- 13 Saṅgīti-vutta-nayena te therā piṭakattayam  
Sabbe sajjhāyam akarum tassā atthakathañ ca tam
- 14 Ciratthitattham̄ dhammadissa-sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Pañca-vassa-sahassāni samattham̄ vattane kataṁ
- 15 Sajjhāyita-nayen' eva therā vinaya-kovidā  
Vinaya-piṭakam̄ sabbam̄ potthakesu likhāpayum
- 16 Sajjhāyita-nayen' eva therā suttanta kovidā  
Suttanta-piṭakam̄ sabbam̄ potthakesu likhāpayum
- 17 Sajjhāyita-nayen' eva therābhidhamma-kovidā  
Abhidhamma-piṭakañ c'eva potthakesu likhāpayum
- 18 Sabbam pi theravādañ ca sabbam̄ sātthakathañ ca  
tam  
Mukha-pāṭhena ānetvā potthakesu likhāpayum
- 19 Likhita-pariyosāne akampittha mahā mahī  
Acchariyāni pāhesum̄ loke nekāni nekadhā.

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<sup>1</sup> Compare Dipavañsa, xx. 20–24, and Mahāvañsa, pp. 207, 208

- 20 Piṭakattayaṁ likhitvā katvā lokahitam̄ bahum̄  
Te yāvatāyukam̄ ṭhatvā therā sabbe pi nibbutā  
21 Vatta-gāmini-abhayo Laṅkārajjam akārayī<sup>1</sup>  
Iti dvādasa vassāni pañcamāsesu ādito  
22 Evam̄ puññāni katvāna anekāni mahīpati  
Kāyassa bhedā sappañño saggam̄ so upapajjatha.

Evam̄ aniccatam̄ jammiṁ ñatvā durabhisambhavam̄  
Tuvatam̄ vāyame dhīro yam̄ niccam̄ amataṁ padam̄

Sujanappasādāya kate saddhamma-saṁgahe potthakesu  
piṭakattaya-likhita-vanṇanā nitthitā.

## CHAPTER VII.

Tato piṭakattaya-likhitato pañcasu vassa-satesu solasa-vassesu atikkantesu Mahānāmo nāma rājā Laikādipe rajjam kāresi.<sup>1</sup> Tasmim kira samaye Jambudipe majjhima-dese bodhimanḍala-samipe brahmaṇa-kule nibbatto eko brāhmaṇa-māṇavo ahosi. So sabba-sippesu visārado tīsu vedesu pāragato Jambudipe gāma-nigama-janapada-rāja-dhānīsu vicaritvā yattha yattha paññitā-samana-brahmanā vasanti tattha tattha gantvā sākacchām karoti. Tena puṭṭha-pañham aññe kathetum nasakkonti, so pi aññena puṭṭha-pañham vissajjeti.<sup>1</sup> Evam sakala Jambudipamhi parigaṇhitvā ekam vihāram pāpuṇi. Tasmim pana vihāre aneka-sata-bhikkhū vasanti. Tesam bhikkhūnam samghatthero āyasmā Revatatthero nāma mahā khīṇāsavo ahosi pattapatisambhido paravādappamaddano. Atha kho so brāhmaṇa-manavo divā ca ratto ca mantam parivattetvā sampuṇṇa-padaparimanḍalo ahosi. Atha kho thero brāhmaṇassa sajjhāyantassa saddam sutvā evam cintesi: ‘Ayam brāhmaṇo mahāpañño tam dametum vatṭatiti.’ Tato tam āmantetvā evam āha: ‘Brāhmaṇa ko nu kho gaddrabha-rāvena viravanto ti.’ Brāhmaṇo: ‘Bho pabbajita gaddrabha-ravānam attham kim jānāsīti.’ ‘Āma jānāmī’ vutte atha kho brāhmaṇo tīsu vedesu itihāsa-pañcamedesu yāni yāni gaṇthitthānāni, yesam nayam neva attanā passati nāssa ācariyo addasa, te theram pucchi. Thero pakatiyā pi tiṇṇam vedānam pāragū hutvā idāni pana patisambhidāp-patto hoti, ten'assa natthi tesam pañhānam vissajjane bhāroti tāvad eva te pañhe vissajjetvā brāhmaṇam āha: ‘Bho brāhmaṇa aham tayā bahu-pucchito, aham pi dāni tam ekam pañham pucchāmi, vyākarissāsi me pañhan ti.’ ‘Āma bho pabbajita puccha vyākarissāmīti. Thero citta-

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<sup>1</sup> Compare Mahāvāṇa, pp. 250-253

yamake imam pañham pucchi : ‘yassa cittam uppajjati na nirujjhati tassacittam nirujjhissati nūppajjisati, yassa vā pana cittam nirujjhissati nuppajjhissati tassa cittam upajjisati na nirujjhissatiti. Brāhmaṇo uddham vā adho vā haritum asakkonto : ‘Kinnāma bho pabbajita idan ti’ āha. ‘Buddha-manto nāmāyam brāhmaṇātī.’ ‘Sakkā pana tam bho mayham pi dātun ti.’ ‘Sakkā brāhamana amhehi gahita-pabbajjam gaṇhantassa dātun ti.’ Tato brāhmaṇo mantathāya pabbajjam yāci. Thero brāhmaṇam pabbājetvā upasampādesi. Atha kho thero sabbam pi tepiṭakam buddha-vacanam uggaṇhāpesi.

Tenāhu porāṇā :<sup>x</sup>

- 1 Bodhimanda-samipamhi jāto brāhmaṇa-mānavo  
Vijjā-sippa-kalāvedi tisu vedesu pārago
- 2 Sainmā-viññāta-samayo sabbavāda-visārado  
Vādatthi Jambudipamhi āhindanto pavādako
- 3 Vihāram ekam āgamma rattim pāt' añjali matam  
Parivatteti sampunna-padam suparimandalam
- 4 Tatth' eko Revato nāma mahā thero vijāniya  
'Mahāpañño ayam satto dametum vattatiti' so
- 5 'Ko nu gaddrabha-rāvena viravanto' ti abbruvi  
'Gaddrabhānam rave attham kim jānāsiti' āha tam
- 6 'Āma jānāmi' vutto so otāresi sakam matam  
Puttham puttham viyākāsi virodham pi ca dassayī
- 7 'Tena hi tvam sakam vādam otarehitī' codito  
Pālim āhābhidhammassa. Attham assa na sodhiya,
- 8 Āha 'kass' esa manto' ti. 'Buddhamanto' ti so bruvi  
'Dehi me tan' ti vutte pi 'Gaṇha pabbajjatam' iti
- 9 Codito pubba-hetūhi mantathāya sa pappaji  
Kammaṭṭhānam adā thero pabbājetvā yathārahām
- 10 Upasampādayitvā so uggaṇhi piṭakattayam  
Atīva pākato āsi cando va suriyo va so
- 11 Buddhassa viya gambhīra-ghosattā nam viyākarum  
Buddha ghoso ti ghoso hi Buddho viya mahītale ti.

Tato paṭṭhāya so bhikkhu Buddhaghosathero nāmā ti

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<sup>x</sup> Mahāvaṇsa, p. 250 foll.

loke pākato ahosi. Tadā so tattha vihāre Nāṇodayam nāma pakaraṇam katvā Dhamma-saṅgaṇiyā atṭhakathañ ca Atthasālinī-nāma parittatṭhakathañ ca kātum ārabhito hoti. Atha kho āyasmā Revatatthero tam disvā evam āha : ‘Idh’ āvuso Buddhaghosa Jambudipe piṭakattaya-pālimat-tam eva atthi, tassa atṭhakathā ca ācariyavādā ca na vij-janti. Sihalaṭṭhakatthā pana saṃgiti-ttayam ārulhā Sāri-puttādihi katañ Mahindena kathāmaggam oloketvā Sihala-bhāsāya katā Sihaladipe pavattati. Tvam pi tattha gantvā sabbam upaparikkhitvā Māgadhāya niruttiyā parivattehi’ sā atṭhakathā sabbaloka-hitāvahā ti.’

Evam vutte āyasmā Buddhaghoso pītisomanassappatto hutvā upajjhāyañ ca bhikkhu-saṅghañ ca vanditvā āpuc-chitva anugamanena Nāgapāṭṭanam sampānuñi. Athā Sakko devarajā haritakiphalañ ca lekhaniñ ca tassa datvā sakatthā-nam eva gato. Tato so nāvam abhiruhitvā mahāsamuddamajjhe āyasmantam Buddhadattattheram paṭipatham disvā kathāsallāpam katvā tato param Lañkāpaṭṭanam pāpuñitvā imassa Mahānāmassa rañño raijappattakāle Anurādhapure Mahāvihare bhikkhu-saṅgham passitvā Mahāpadhānaghare Samghapālattherassa santikam gantvā Sihalaṭṭhakatham sabbam theravādañ ca sunītvā ‘ayam dhammasāmissa Buddhassa adhippayoti’ nicchayam katvā tasmin vihāre saṅghasannipātam katvā evam āha : ‘bhante saṅgha piṭakaṭṭhakatham kātum mama potthake dethā ti.’

Tadā bhikkhu-saṅgho tassa samattha-bhāvam vimam-situm gāthā-dvayam datvā : ‘tava samattha-bhāvam pas-sitvā sabbe pottake demāti’ aha. Atha kho āyasmā Bud-dhaghoso piṭakattaya-pāliñ ca tass’ atṭhakathañ ca passitvā Visuddhimaggam nāma pakaraṇam saṅgahetvā akāsi. Tadā devatā tassa nepuññam mahajane pakāsetum tam potthakam antaradhāpesi. So pi aññam akāsi yeva. Tam pi devatā antaradhāpesi. So pi tikkhattum akāsi yeva. Tasmin khaṇe devatā dve potthake tassa adāsi. Tadā tīni potthakāni ahesum.

Atha kho āyasmā Buddhaghoso tīni potthakāni gahetvā bhikkhu-saṅghassa nīyādesi. Tadā bhikkhu-saṅgho tīni potthakāni ekato vācesi. Ganthato vā akkharato vā

padato vā vyāñjanāto vā atthato vā pubbāparavasena vā  
theravādādihi vā pālihi vā tīsu potthakesu aññathattam  
nāma nāhosī.

Tenāhu porāñā : <sup>1</sup>

- 12 Tattha Nāñodayam nāma katvā pakarañam tadā  
Dhamma samgañiyā kāsi kaccham so Atthasaliniṁ
- 13 Parittatthakathañ c'eva kātum ārabhi buddhimā  
Tam disvā Revato thero idam vacanam abbruvī
- 14 'Pājimattam idhānītam n'atthi atthakathā idha  
Tathācariyavādā ca bhinna-rupā na vijjare
- 15 Sihalatthakathā suddhā Mahindena matimatā  
Samgīttayam ārūlham sammā-sambuddha-desitam
- 16 Sāriputtādihi katañ kathāmaggam samekkhiya  
Kata Sihala-bhāsāya Sihalesu pavattati
- 17 Tvam tattha gantvā sutvā tam Māgadhāya niruttiyā  
Parivattehi sā hoti sabbalokahitāvahā'
- 18 Evam vutte pasanno so nikkhmitvā tato imam  
Dīpam āgā imass'eva rañño kāle mahāmatī
- 19 Mahāvihāram sampatto vihāram sabbasādhunam  
Mahāpadhānagharam gantvā Samghapālassa santikā
- 20 Sihalatthakatham sutvā theravādañ ca sabbaso  
'Dhammassāmissa eso va adhippāyo' ti nicchiya
- 21 Tattha samgham samānetvā 'Kātum atthakatham  
mama  
Potthake detha sabbe' ti āha. Vimamsitum satam
- 22 Samgho gāthaddvayañ tassa dāsi: 'sāmatthiyam tava  
Ettha dassehi tam disvā sabbe demāti potthake'
- 23 Pilakattayam etth'eva saddhim atthakathāya so  
Visuddhi-maggam nāmākā samgalietvā samāsato
- 24 Tato samgham samūhetvā sambuddha-mata-kovidam  
Mahābodhi-samīpamhi so tam vācetum ārabhi
- 25 Devatā tassa nepuññam pakāsetum mahājane  
Chādesum potthakam so pi dvattikkhattum pi tam akā
- 26 Vācetum tatiye vāre potthake samudāhaṭe  
Potthakaddvayam aññam pi sañthapesum tahiñ marū

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<sup>1</sup> Mahāvañsa, p. 251

- 21 Vācayimsu tadā bhikkhū potthakattayam ekato  
           Ganthato atthato vā pi pubbāparavasena vā  
 29 Theravādehi pālīhi padehi vyañjanehi ca  
           Aññathattam ahu n'eva potthakesu pi tīsu piti.

Sanniñthāpitesu pan' āyasmatā Buddhaghosena tīsu potthakesu ākāse mahāviravam viravi akāla vijjullatā nicecharim̄su devatā sādhukāram adamsu. Tena kho pana samayena Mahāvihāre aneka-bhikkhu-sahassāni sannipatitvā tam mahabbbutam disvā tutṭha-pahaṭṭhā sādhukāram datvā punappunam vuccamānā: ‘Ayam nissam-sayam Metteyyo bodhisatto āgato ’ti ugghosesum. Tato Mahānāma-rājā tam sutvā mahatiyā rājaparisaya parivuto nagarā nikhamitvā Mahāvihāram gantvā bhikkhu-saṅgham vanditvā tam āyasmantam Buddhaghosattheram vanditvā nimantesi: ‘Bhante yāva dhammapariyosānā mama rāja-gehe bhikkham ganhathāti.’ So tunhibhāvena adhvāsesi.

Atha kho bhikkhu-samgho piṭakattaya-Pālipotthake Sihalaṭṭhakathā-potthakehi saddhim adāsi. Atha kho āyasmā Buddhaghoso sabbe potthake gahetvā Mahāvihārassa dakkhiṇa-bhāge Padhānagharam nāma ekasmiṁ pāsāde vasanto sabbañ Sihalaṭṭhakatham parivattetvā mūlabhāsaya Māgadhipāya niruttiyā piṭakattayassa aṭṭhakatham kuruyamāno, Samanta-pāsādikāya vuttā tividhaṭṭhakathā katamā Mahā-aṭṭhakathā ca Mahā-paccari-aṭṭhakathā ca Mahā-kurunda aṭṭhakathā cāti imā tisso aṭṭhakathāyo Sihalaṭṭhakathā nāma. Mahā-aṭṭhakathā nāma paṭhama-mahā-samgitim ārūlhā Mahākassapa-pamukhehi therehi katā Mahāmahindena ānetvā Sihala-bhāsāya katā Mahā-aṭṭhakathā nāma jātā. Mahāpaccariyan nāma, Sihalabhāsāya ulumpo kira atthi, tasmīm nisiditvā katattā paccariyam nāma jātā aṭṭhakathā. Kurundattha kathā nāma, Kurundaveļu vihāro atthi, tasmīm nisiditvā katattā Kurundi nāma jātā aṭṭhakathā.

Atha kho so āyasmā Buddhaghoso Kurundattha katham Sihala-bhāsam parivattetvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhipāya

niruttiyā Samanta-pāsādikā nāma vinayapitakatthakathā akāsi. Vuttam hi tāttha

- 29 Vinaye pāṭavatthāya sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Māgadhāya samāraddhā Vinayaṭṭhakathā va sā
- 30 Samanta-pāsādikā nāma sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Satta-visa-sahassehi ganthehi parimānato.

Tadanantaram Suttanta-pitake mahā-atthakatha Sihala-bhāsam parivattetva Sumaṅgala-vilāsī-nāma Dīghanikā-yatthakathañ ca thapesi. Tathā Papañcasūdanī-nāma Majjhimaṭṭhakathañ ca ṭhapesi. Tathā Sārathappakāsanī-nāma Samyuttaṭṭhakathañ ca ṭhapesi. Tathā Manoratha-pūraṇī-nāma Aṅguttaranikāyāṭṭhakathañ ca ṭhapesi. Vuttam hi tattha

- 31 Suttanta-pāṭavatthāya sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Māgadhāya samāraddhā Suttantaṭṭhakathā va sā
- 32 Catunikāyāṭṭhakathā sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Sā asīti-sahassehi ganthehi parimānato
- 33 Khuddanikāyāṭṭhakathā sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Satta-tiṃsa-sahassehi ganthehi parimānato.

Tadanantaram Abhidhamma-pitake Mahāpaccariyāṭṭha Kathā Sihala-bhāsam parivattetvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhi-kāya niruttiyā Athasālinī-nāma Dhamma-samgaṇiṭṭhakathañ ca ṭhapesi. Tathā Sammoha-vinodani-nāma Vibhāgappakaraṇaṭṭhakathañ ca ṭhapesi. Vuttam hi tattha

- 34 Abhidhamma-pāṭavatthāya sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Māgadhāya samāraddhā Abhidhammaṭṭhakathā va sā
- 35 Atthasālinī nāmādi sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Tiṃsa-sahassa-mattehi ganthehi parimānato.

Pubbe therikācariyādīhi pālinayam gahetvā kataṃ theravādaṃ nāma sabbesam pi Māgadhi-kāya niruttiyā atṭhakatham akāsi yeva. Sā pitakatthākathā sabbadesantara-vāśinam hitāvahā ahosi, piṭakatthākathā-pariyosāne anekap-

pakāram mahāpaṭhavi kampo ahosi. Ayam piṭakaṭṭhakathā kariyamanā ekasam̄vaccharen'eva niṭṭhitā.

Atha kho āyasmā Buddhaghoso kattabba-kiccam niṭṭhā-petvā mahā bodhim vanditukāmo bhikkhu-samgham van-ditvā āpucchitvā puna Jambudipam eva agamāsi.

Tenāhu porānā :

- 36 Sambuddha parinibbānā nava vassa-satesu ca  
Cha paññāsatikkantesu Mahānamo narādipo  
Dhammena dasavidhena Laṅkārajjam akārayī
- 37 Buddhaghoso ti ghoso hi Buddhe viya mahitale  
Laṅkādīpamhi āgamma Laṅkādīpa-hitāvaham
- 38 Saṅgho gāthaddvayam dāsi Sihalatṭhakathā ti ca  
Visuddhimaggam nāmakā saṅghassa anumattiyā
- 39 Atha ugghosayī saṅgho tutṭhahaṭṭho visesato  
'Nissamsayam yam Metteyyo' iti vatvā punappunam
- 40 Saddhirī atṭhakathāyādā potthake piṭakattaye  
Ganthākare vasanto so vihāre dūrasaṅkare
- 41 Parivattesi sabbā pi Sihalatṭhakathā tadā  
Sabbesam mūlabhāsāya Māgadhānam niruttiyā
- 42 Sattānam sabba-bhāsānam sā ahosi hitāvahā  
Theriyācariyā sabbe Pālim viya tam aggahum
- 43 Atha kattabba-kiccesu gatesu pariniṭṭhitam  
Vanditum so mahā-bodhim Jambudipam upāgami
- 44 Bhutvā dvāvisa-vassāni Mahānāmo mahā mahim  
Kvatvā puññāni cittrāni yathā-kammam upāgami
- 45 Piṭakaṭṭhakathām katvā katvā lokahitam bahum  
So yāvatāyukam thatvā therō pi Tusitam gato
- 46 Lankāvāsi tadā bhikkhū katakiċċā anāsavā  
Te yāvatāyukam ṭhātvā therā sabbe pi nibbutā.

Evam aniccatam jammim ñatvā durabhisambhavam  
Tuvatam vāyame dhiro yam niccam amataṁ padam ti.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhammasamgahe tepiṭakaṭṭha-kathā-parivattana-vanṇanā niṭṭhitā.

## CHAPTER VIII.

Tato tepitakaṭṭhakathā parivattanato teasīti-adhikesu chasu vassa-satesu atikantesu tadā Mahāsammata-param-parānuyāto Suriyavaṇīsa-sambhūto Parakkamabāhu mahā rājā nāma ahosi. So attano pitu accayena tīsu rajjesu paṭirājānam abhimaddanam katvā sakala-Laṅkātale ekarājābhisekam patvā rājādhirājā sadesa-desantara-patthaṭakittiyā ca virājamano hutvā Pulatthī-mahānagare dhammena rajjam kārente Vattagāmini-ābhaya mahārañño samayato paṭṭhāya samvacchāra-gaṇanāya catu-paññāsa-satādhikam ekasahassam bhinnanikāyam hutvā parihāyamāne sāsane apāyabhāgi sāsanāvācara-kulaputte disvā karuṇāya samcodita-hadayo ‘Kathaṁ hi nāma sāsanuvuddhiṁ karissāmiti’ cintento Udumbaragirivāsi Mahākassapattheram dhuram katvā aneka-satānam pāpabhikkhūnam nimmathanam katvā setavatthāni datvā uppabbajetvā sāsanam nimmalamkatvā sacetiyāni Jetavana-Pubbārāma-Dakkhiṇārāma-Uttarārāma-Veluvana-Kapilavatthu-Isipatana-Kusinārāma-Laṅkātilaka-mahāvihārani ca kārapetvā ekādasa-bhūmikanam gabbhassa-hassam kūtāgāra-patimanditam cittakamma-latākammehi vivitta-bhūtam uposathāgāram mahāpasādaṁ kārapetvā bodhi-thūpa-parivena-kuṭī-maṇḍapā-valīhi vibhūsitaṁ nānā-vidha taruvāra-kusuma-gandha-sammodamatta-kokilādihi dvijagaṇehi nisevitam padumuppala-puṇḍarīka-sañchanna-sitalodaka-jalāsaya-samākiṇṇam Jetavanam nāma mahāvihāram kārapesi.

Tattha aneka-bhikkhu-sahassānam saṅghatthero āyasmā Mahākassapatthero bhikkhu-saṅgham sannipātāpesi. Athakho āyasmā Mahākassapatthero bhikkhū āmantesi : ‘Yañ c’āvuso piṭakattayaṭṭhakathāya līnatthappakāsanattham atthavaṇṇanam porāṇehi kataṁ tam sabbam desantarāvāsīnam bhikkhūnam attham na sādheti. Katthaci anekesu gaṇṭhipadesu Sīhalabhbhāsāya niruttiyā likhitañ ca katthaci

mūlabhāsāya Māgadhitkāya bhāsantarena sammīssam ākulañ ca katvā likhitañ ca. Mayam bhāsantaram apanetvā pari-puṇṇam anākulam atthavaṇṇanam kareyyāmāti.’ Bhikkhu āhamṣu : ‘Tena hi bhante therō rājānam gahetvā āñācakkam karotūti.’

Tadā rājā sapariso nagarā nikhamitvā vihāram gantvā Mahākassapatthera-pamukham bhikkhu-saṅgham vanditvā ekam antam nisidi.

Atha nam thero āha : ‘Mahārāja te piṭakatṭhakathāya atthavaṇṇanā kattabbā bhaveyyāti.’ ‘Sādhu bhante aham kāyasāmaggiṁ dassāmi, bhikkhu-saṅgho vissattham karo-tūti.’ Tato rājā bhikkhu-saṅgham vanditvā nagaram eva pāvisi.

Atha kho therā bhikkhū bhattakicca-vasāne Parakkama-bāhunarindena katapāsāde sannipatitvā Vinaya-pitakaṭṭhakathāya Samanta-Pāśadikāya Atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhitkāya niruttiyā Sārattha-dīpanī nāma atthavaṇṇanam thapesum. Vuttam hi tattha

- 1 Vinaye pāṭhavatthāya sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Vaṇṇanā ca samāraddhā vinayaṭṭhakathāya sā
- 2 Sārattha-dīpanī nāma sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Timṣa-sahassa mattehi ganthehi parimānato ti.

Tadanantaramaṇi suttanta-piṭake Dīghanikāyaṭṭhakathāya Sumaṅgala-vilāsiniyā atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhitkāya niruttiyā pāṭhama Sāratthamañjusā nāma atthavaṇṇanam thapesum. Tathā Majjhimanikāyaṭṭhakathāya Papañca-sūdaniyā atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhitkāya niruttiyā dutiya-Sārattha-mañjusā nāma atthavaṇṇanam thapesum tathā Samyuttanikāyaṭṭhakathāya Sāratthappakāsaniyā atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhitkāya niruttiyā tatiya-Sāratthamañjusā nāma-atthavaṇṇanam thapesum. Tathā Aiguttaranikāyaṭṭhakathāya Monoratha-pūraṇiyā atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhitkāya niruttiyā catuttha-Sārattha-mañjusā nāma atthavaṇṇanam thapesum. Vuttam hi tattha

- 3 Suttanta-pāṭavatthāya sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Vanṇanā ca samāraddhā Suttantatthakathāya sā  
4 Sārattha-Mamjusā nāma sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Channavuti-sahassehi ganthehi parimānato.

Tadanantaram Abhidhammapitake Dhammasaṃgaṇiyā atthakathāya Attha-saliniyā atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mulabhāsāya Māgadhikāya niruttiyā paṭhama Paramattha-pakāsanī nāma mūlatīkañ ca anuṭīkañ ca thapesum.

Tathā Vibhaṅgappakaranaṭṭhakathāya Sammoha-vinodaniyā atthavaṇṇanam ārbhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhikāya niruttiyā dutiya-Paramattha-pakāsinī nāma mūlatīkañca anuṭīkañca thapesum.

Tathā Pañcappakaranaṭṭhakathāya Paramattha-dīpaniyā atthavaṇṇanam ārabhitvā mūlabhāsāya Māgadhikāya niruttiyā tatiya-Paramattha-pakāsanī nāma mūlatīkañ ca anuṭīkañ ca thapesum. Tenāhu porāṇā :

- 5 Abhidhamma-pāṭavatthāya sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā  
Vanṇanā ca samāraddhā Abhidhammatthakathāya sā  
6 Paramattha-pakāsanī sabbaso pariniṭṭhitā  
Satta-visa-sahassehi ganthehi parimānato.

Evam Mahākassapatthero raññā Parakkambāhunā ajjhīttho aneka-sahassehi therehi saddhim ussāham janetvā dhamma-vinaya-saṃgāyita-sadisam eva pitakattayatthakathāya atthavaṇṇanam katvā sanniṭṭhāpesi. Atthavaṇṇanā-kata-pariyosane paṭhavi kampādayo anekāni acchariyāni pātūr ahesum, devatā sādhukāram adamsu. Ayam pitakaṭṭhakathāya atthavaṇṇanā ekasaṃvaccharen'eva nitṭhitā. Tenāhu porāṇā :<sup>1</sup>

- 7 Sambuddha-parinibbaṇā vassa-sahassatikkame  
Sattāsiti pañca-sate rājā āhu Parakkamo

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<sup>1</sup> I cannot trace these verses in any of the chapters in the second part of the Mahāvaṇsa devoted to Parakkama Bāhu

- 8 Ulāra-puñña-tejena katvā sattu-vimaddanam  
Patta-rajābhisekena sāsanujjotanatthinā
- 9 Nissāya Sihalindena yam Parakkamabāhunā  
Katkā nikāya-sāmaggiṁ sāsanam suvisodhitam
- 10 Kassapo so mahāthero samghassa pariṇāyako  
Dīpasimī Jambapaññimhi-sāsanodaya-kāraṇā
- 11 Ajjhesito narindena so Parakkama bāhunā  
Saddhammatthitikāmena katvā sāsana-paggaham
- 12 'Piṭakaṭṭhakathāyāham linatthassa pakāsanam  
Na tam sabbattha bhikkhūnam attham sādheti sabbaso
- 13 Duviññeyya-sabhbāvāya Sihalaya niruttiyā  
Ganthipadesu nekesu likhitam kiñci katthaci
- 14 Māgadhikāya bhāsāya ārabhitvā pi kenaci  
Bāsantarena sammissam likhitam kiñcid eva ca
- 15 Asāragantha bhāvo pi tatth'eva bahu dissati  
Ākulañ ca katham yattha duviññeyyā pi atthato
- 16 Tato aparipuññena tādisen' ettha sabbaso  
Katham attham vijānanti nānā-desa-nivāsino
- 17 Bhāsantaram tato hitvā sāram ādāya sabbaso  
Anākulam karissāmi paripuñña-vinicchayam'
- 18 Piṭakattaya-vanñanā ca linatthassa pakāsanā  
Sārattha-dīpani nāma Sārattha-mañjusā pi ca
- 19 Paramatthappakāsani mahātherehi bhāsitā  
Sattānam sabba-bhāsānam sā ahosi hitāvahā
- 20 Parakkama-bhujo nāma Laṅkīndo puñña-paññavā  
Dhammena dasavidhena Laṅkārajjam akārayi
- 21 Katvā puññāni nekāni posanno ratanattaye  
Āyuno pariyośāne yathākammam upāgamī
- 22 Piṭakassa tīkam katvā therā pi Kassapādayo  
Te yāvatayukam thatvā yathākammam upāgamum.

Evam aniccatam jammim nātvā durabhisambhavam  
Tuvatam vāyame dhīro yam niccam amataṁ padam ti.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhamma-samgahe pitakattaya-  
tīkā vanñanā niñthitā.

## CHAPTER IX.

- 1 Pitakattaya-pāli ca Sammā-sambuddha-desitā  
Terasiti ca satañ ca sahassam bhāṇavārato
- 2 Pitakattaya-pāli ca dve lakkha-nahutāni ca  
Pañca-sahassam satta-satam paññāsam gantha-samkhato
- 3 Pitakattaya-pāli ca akkharānam vasena ca  
Catu-navuti-lakkhāni catu-satṭhi-sahassa ca
- 4 Pitakatthakathā sabbā Buddha-ghosena bhāsitā  
Tesaṭṭhi ca saṭañ c'eva sahassam bhāṇavārato
- 5 Pitakatthakathā sabbā dve lakkha-nahutā nava  
Satta satañ ca paññāsam gantha saṅkyā vasena ca
- 6 Pitakatthakathā sabbā akkharānam vasena ca  
Tenavuti-lakkhān' eva catu-sahassam akkharā
- 7 Pitakattaya-tikā ca tikācariyehi bhāsitā  
Cha satañ ceva dvāttim̄sa bhāṇavāra-vasena ca
- 8 Pitakattaya-tikā ca saṅkyā gantha-vasena ca  
Aṭṭha paññāsa sahassāhi satasahassāni ganthato
- 9 Pitakattaya-tikā ca akkharānam vasena ca  
Paññāsa sata sahassam cha paññāsa sahassa ca
- 10 Therena Buddhaghosena racitam yam manoramam  
Visuddhimaggam nāmam tam pitakatthappakāsanam
- 11 Pātimokkhaṭṭhakathā ca Buddhaghosena dhīmatā  
Therena racitā esā Kamkhā-vitaraṇi subhā
- 12 Therena Dhamma sirinā thira-silena yā kathā  
Ādikammika-bhikkhunam Khudda-sikkhā susikkhitā
- 13 Therena Buddha dattena racitam yam manoramam  
Abhidhammāvatāro ti laddhanāmena vissutam
- 14 Anuruddhena therena Kañcipuravare vare  
Pakaranañ katam tena Paramattha-vinicchayam
- 15 Anuruddhābhidhānenā therena racitam idam  
Paramatthappakāsetum Abhidhammattha-saṅgaham
- 16 Kato yo saccasamkhepo nipunattha-vinicchayo  
Ānandattherapādena vicitta-naya-mañḍito

- 17 Khemavhayena therena dhimatā Khemanāmakam  
Pakaranam katam tena Paramatthappadipakam
- 18 Kaccāyano kato yogo Saṅghanandi pavuttikā  
Tīkā Vimalabodhī ca Brahmaṇutto ca kārakā
- 19 Saddhammatthitikāmena Buddhappiyena dhimatā  
Therena racitā esā Rūpasiddhibhidhānakā
- 20 Sadhammatthitikāmena Moggallānena dhimatā  
Therena racitā esā Abhidhānappadipikā
- 21 Buddharakkhita-nāmena therena racitam idam  
Jinālānkāra-satthañ ca satthu guṇam alaikataṁ
- 22 Medhaṅkarābhidhānenā therena thira-cetasā  
Jinacaritam idam tena racitam yam manoramam
- 23 Paramattha-mañjūsā nāma Dhammapālena dhimatā  
Visuddhimaggassa tīkā therena racitā subhā
- 24 Sāgaramati-nāmena therena racitam idam  
Vinaya-samgaham nāma vinayatthappakāsanam
- 25 Mahābodhiti-nāmena therena racitā subhā  
Nissayatthakathā nāma Saccasamkhepa-vaiñjanā
- 26 Mahābodhiti-nāmena therena racitā subhā  
Paramattha-vinicchaya-vaiñjanā Mukhamattakā
- 27 Dhammapālena therena Paramatthappadipanī  
Vimāna-petavatthūnam vaiñjanā racitā subhā
- 28 Katvā Subodhālākāram Vuttodayam anākulam  
Khuddasikkhāya tīkāpi tathā Sambuddha-vaiñjanā
- 29 Saṅgharakkhita-nāmena therena racitam idam  
Saddhammatthitikāmena sāsanodayakāminā
- 30 Buddhasihena therena yo Vinayavinicchayo  
Ten' eva racito sādhu sāsanassa ca vuddhiyā
- 31 Buddhanāgābhidhānenā therena thira-cetasā  
Kamkhā-vitaraṇiyā ca tīkā suracitā subhā
- 32 Dhammapālenā therena Paramatthappadipanī  
Therigāthā-aṭṭhakathāracitā sā manoramā
- 33 Sāriputtassa therassa Abhidhammattha-saṅgaham  
Tīkā sissena therena dhimatā racita subhā
- 34 Therena Buddhaghosena dhimatā racitā imā  
Dhammapada-aṭṭhakathā ca Sodattabhinidānakā
- 35 Kaccāyanena therena racitam yam manoramam  
Nettipakaraṇam nāma Sambuddhassānumattiya

- 36 Sārattha-sālinī nāma saccasamkhepa-vanṇanā  
Sāriputtassa sissena therena racita subhā  
37 Ten' eva thera-pādena sāsanujjotanatthinā  
Anekā khuddakā ganthā racitā sāmanoramā  
38 Tipiṭakānulomāni sabbappokaraṇāni ca  
Katāni yehi therehi Jina-sāsana-vuddhiyā  
39 Sabba-therā mahānāgā katvā lokahitam bahum  
Te yāvatāyukam thatvā yathākammam upāgamum.

Evam aniccatam jammim ūnatvā durabhī sambhavam  
Tuvaṭam vāyme dhiro yam niccam amatam padan ti.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhamma-samgahe  
Sabbappakaraṇa-kata-thera-vanṇanā niṭṭhitā.

## CHAPTER X.

Ito param piṭakattaya-lekhanānisamsa-vanjanā kathetabbā. Api ca parinibbāṇa-mañce nipanno bhagavā Ānandattheram āmantetvā : ‘Yo vo Ānanda mayā dhamma ca vinayo ca desito c’eva paññatto ca so vo mam’ accayena satthā. Abhisambodhito yāva parinibbāṇa pañca cattalisa vassāni bhāsitāni caturāsiti dhammakkhandha-sohassāni titthanti yeva, aham ekako va parinibbāyāmi. aham pan’ idāni ekako va ovadāmi anusāsāmi, mayi parinibbute imāni caturāsiti dhammakkhandha-sahassāni caturāsiti sohassa-buddha-sadisāni tumhe ovadissanti anusāsissantīti’ attano dhammakāya-saṃkhāte sakagarubhūte caturāsiti-sohassa-dhammakkhandha-vare attanā sambhūte caturāsiti-sahassa-buddha-vare katvā thapesi. Vuttam h’etam Bhagavatā :

- 1 Akkharam ekamekañ ca Buddha-rūpasaman siyā  
Tasmāhi pandito poso likheyya piṭakattayam
- 2 Caturāsiti sahassāni sambuddhā parimāṇaka  
Thitā nāma bhavissanti titthante piṭakattaye
- 3 Akkharam ekamekañ ca satthu pariyatti-sāsane  
Akkharam buddharūpañ ca samam eva phalam siyā
- 4 Tasmāhi pañdito poso tividham sampattim icchito  
Likheyya vā likhāpeyya potthake dhamma-cetiye
- 5 Dasapuññakiriya-vatthum tividham sucaritam pi ca  
Pūreti lekhiko dhammam pitakattaya-saññitam
- 6 Pariyattim paṭipattim paṭivedhañ ca sāsane  
Tividham pi ca saddhammam paripūreti sādhukam
- 7 Akkharam ekamekañ cā lokanāthassa sāsane  
Akkharam buddharūpañ ca samam eva phalam siyā
- 8 Tasmāhi pañdito poso tividham sampattim icchito  
Likheyya vā likhāpeyya akkharam piṭakattaye

- 9 Tipitakāni sabbāni akkharānam pamāṇato  
Dve sattatyādhikañ c'eva catasso sata-kotiyo  
10 Ye piṭakāni lekhanti karonti paṭimā viya  
Dve sattatyādhikañ c'eva catasso sata-kotiyo.

Kosala-bimba-vanṇanāyam yam bimbānisamsam bhagavatā vitthārena desitam tam idhāharitvā piṭakattaya-lekhanānisamsam kathetabbam.

- 11 Satthussa bimbam karasādisā ye  
Tepiṭakass' akkhara-lekhayantā  
Sabbehi lokehi manāpakāyā  
Te tejavantā suriyā va honti
- 12 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
Na pāpuṇante va ca itthi-bhāvam  
Athobhato vyañjana-pañḍakādikam  
Sampuṇṇa-bhāvam samupenti sabbaso
- 13 Likkāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
Upaddavenāpi na miyare va te  
Visena satthena ca mantakādinā  
Amitta-rājūhi ahimsa-nīyakā
- 14 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
Suseṭṭha-rūpe vara-brāhmaṇe kule  
Bhavanti setṭhamhi ca khattiye kule  
Hīne kule nīcakule na jāyare
- 15 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
Lokantare peta-bhave na jāyare  
Na mūga-pakkhā na ca andha-badhirā  
Catūh' apāyehi ca vippamuttakā
- 16 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
Dukkhena vā so na ca hoti gabbhe  
Dukkham na hoteva vijāta-kāle  
Dukkham na hoteva vijāta-mātuyā

- 17 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
 Sukhena niccam abhivaddhateva  
 Dhānena bhogena yasādinā pi  
 Sabbena tesam abhivaddhate va
- 18 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
 Gabbhamhi jātā na malena littā  
 Semhādinā n'eva bhavanti suddhā  
 Suddhamhi vatthe manijātikā va
- 19 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
 Sukhena gabbhe abhivaddhite va  
 Te mātugabbhā abhinikkhamantā  
 Dhammāsanā otarakā va honti
- 20 Likhāpayantā piṭakassa-m-akkharam  
 Sahassanetto va sudhābhīpūjītā  
 Narinda-setṭhehi tath'eva pūjītā  
 Bhavanti rājāvaracakkavattino
- 21 Narā ye likhāpentī dhammakkharan te  
 Manussattabhbāvam jahitāna santo  
 Sace enti devattabhbāvam manussā  
 Vimāne labhanti vare cārurūpe
- 22 Pitakattayam-akkhara-lekhitava  
 Turiyehi varehi varappamadā  
 Parito varamo dayare satatam  
 Atisetṭha-sukham anubhonti ciram
- 23 Likhāpayantā pitakassa-m-akkharam  
 Tamhā cutā te vara-deva-loke  
 Osāna-bhūte pana attabhāve  
 Setṭhattabhbāvam abhipathayantā
- 24 Sambuddhabhbāvam tibhavekasāram  
 Paccekabodhim pi ca sāvakattam  
 Sampāpuṇītvāna mahānubhbāvam  
 Papponti nibbāna-sukham varaggam

- 25 Dadanti ye potthaka-bandhanam vā  
 Nivāsanam bhājana-lekhinim vā  
 Ādhārakam pippalikam masim vā  
 Bhavanti te uttama-paññavanto
- 26 Sayañ ca lekhanti pare ca lekhā-  
 Payanti ye ye anumodamānā  
 Te te pi Metteyya-jinassa sissā  
 Paññā bhavissanti anāgatasmīm
- 27 Yam icchitam pathhitam va manuññam  
 Ye ye pi lekhanti pare bhatim vā  
 Dadanti tam tam sukham eva sabbam  
 Te te labhissanti anāgatasmīm.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhamma-samgahe piṭakattaya-  
 lekhanānisamsa-vanñanā nitthitā.

## CHAPTER XI.

Ito param saddhamma-savanānisamsa-vanṇanā kathetabbā. Vuttam cetam Bhagavatā :

- 1 ‘Yo me passati saddhammam so mam passati Vakkali  
Apassamāno saddhammam mam passe pi na passati.

Bhagavatā pariyatti-sāsanassa attanā samasamaṭṭhāne thapito. Ayam pana saddhammo sabba-buddhehi atitānā-gata-paccuppannehi sakkato garukato mānito pūjito. Yo hi saddhammo sakkato garukato mānito pūjito so Tathā-gatam sakkaroti garukaroti māneti pūjeti nāma. Vuttam cetam Bhagavatā :

- 2 Ye cātitā Sambuddhā ye ca Buddhā anāgatā  
Ye c'etarahi Sambuddhā bahūnam sokanāsanā  
3 Sabbe saddhamma-garuno viharamsu viharanti ca  
Atho pi viharissanti esā buddhāna dhammatā  
4 Tasmā hi attakāmena mahattam abhikamkhatā  
Saddhammo garukātabbo saram Buddhāna sāsanam  
5 Sambuddhānam dve kāyā rūpakāyo sividharo  
Yo tehi desito dhammo dhammadakāyo ti vuccati  
6 Titthām tattham abhiññāya akkharāni padāni pi  
Nāmam attham abhiññāya bodhi-bijam upāgamī  
7 Gune bahumhi santamhi saddhammesu hitatthiko  
Dhīro cittam pasādetvā dhamme sakkacca gāravo  
8 Ohāya attano kammam dhammam sotum idhāgatā  
Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammam Sambuddha-desitan  
ti.

Ekasminm kira samaye Bhavagā Sāvatthiyam upanissāya vihāsi. Tena kho pana samyena āyasmā Nandako upaṭṭhāna-sālāyam bhikkhū dhammiyā kathāya sandassesi

samādapesi samuttejesi sampaham̄sesi poriyāya vācāya vissatthāya anelagalāya atthassa viññāpaniyāya, te ca bhikkhū attikatvā manasikatvā sādhucetasā samannāharitvā ohita-sotā dhammam̄ sunanti. Tadā pana satthā mahājanassa pacchā-bhattam̄ dhamma-desanāvasāne thokam̄ sariram̄ assādetvā upatthākehi sajjita-udakena sunahāto sunivattho supāruto hutvā āyasmato Nandassa dhamma-desanāya savanattham̄ upatthānasāladvāram̄ gantvā āvingana-rajjum̄ gahetvā tiyāmarattim̄ thitako va dhammakatham̄ sutvā desanā pariyosāne sādhukāram̄ adāsi : ‘Sukathito Nanda dhamma-pariyāyo ti.’ Satthārā sādhukāre dinnamatte ca bhummāttha-nāgasupanṇayakkhā ca bhummātthakā devatā ca yāva Brahmalokā ekasādhukāro eva jāto. Thero tam̄ sutvā ‘Satthu sādhukāro esa saddo ti’ sañjānitvā tamkhaṇe yeva ca sahasā dhammāsanto otaritvā āgantvā Dasabalassa pādesu sirasā nipatitvā Bhagavantam̄ vanditva : ‘Kāya velāya bhante bhagavā āgatattha tumhe ti.’ ‘Tayā Nanda suttante āraddhamatte tāya velāya idhāgato ti.’ Thero ubbegappatto hutvā : ‘Dukkarittha bhante Buddha sukhumālā tumhe svāham̄ Tathāgatam̄ pi jāneyyam̄ ettakam̄ pi me nappatibhātī’ āha. ‘Ahā ca Nanda kappa-satasahassādhikānam̄ catunnām̄ asamkeyyānam̄ upari ettakam̄ kālam̄ pāramiyo pūrento imass’ eva saddhammassa pativijjanatthāya Vidyura-Mahāgovinda-Khuddālaka-Araka-Jotipāla-Bodhiparibbājaka-Mahosadhapanḍitādi kālañ ca pāramiyo pūrento imass’ eva paresam̄ dhammam̄ desetum̄ paññāpāramī pūritattabhāvānam̄ tesam̄ parimāṇam̄ natthi. Tadāhi paresam̄ dhammam̄ desetum̄ ca parehi desitam̄ dhammam̄ ca sotum̄ mayham̄ titti nāma na hotiti.’ Tam̄ pakāsento āha :

- 9 Ahām̄ hi aparimita-kāle samsaranto bhavā bhave  
Dhammam̄ kathetum̄ sotuñ ca mayham̄ titti na vijjati
- 10 Kim pan’ etarahi Sambuddho sabbaññu karuṇālayo  
Lokassa dhammam̄ desetum̄ mayham̄ titti na vijjati
- 11 Buddho ’ham̄ bodhayissāmi iti yan̄ patthanam̄ katam̄  
Tena jāto ’mhi sambuddho handa bodhemi pāṇinam̄

- 12 Tiṇṇo 'ham tārayissāmi iti yam patthanam kataṁ  
Tena tiṇṇo 'mhi dukkhamhā handa tiṇṇo 'mhi pāṇinam  
13 Mutto 'ham mocayissāmi iti yam patthanam kataṁ  
Tena mutto 'mhi dukkhamhā handa mocemi pāṇinam  
14 Ayam dhammo mahantehi sambuddhehi pakāsito  
Dhamme cittam̄ pasādetvā sotabbam̄ dhammam utta-  
mam̄.

Iti dullabho hi ayam dhammo. ‘Imasmim jīvaloke sacetvam Nanda kappam vā desetum sakkuneyyāsi kappamat-tam pāham thitako va suneyyan ti’ Bhagavā avoca. Tam sutvā āyasmā Nandako : ‘Acchariyam bhante abbhutam bhante sabbañeyya-dhammesu vidiattā anuppannassa maggassa uppādetā asañjātassa maggassa sañjānetā anakkhātassa maggassa akkhātā maggañīu maggavido evam Tathāgato imam saddhammam attanā kathetum vā parehi vā desitam sotum vā tittim vā kilamatham vā nevō ajjhagamīti.’ Iti ñatvā sakkaccāyam saddhammo sotabbo ti Nandaka-desanā paṭhamā.

Idha saddhammassa savanāya nānāsanato agamma dhamma-sabhā-maṇdale sannisinnā sannipatitā te te tehi ca sabbehi sambahumānehi sakkaccāyam saddhammo sotabbo. Ettha ekacco dhamma-kathiko : ‘Esa dhamma-kathiko ti jānissantiti’ icchācāre ṭhatvā lābha-garuko hutvā desesi. Tam na mahapphalam ekacco attano paguna-dhammam apaccāsimisamāno paresam dhammam desesi. Tam mahapphalam, idam desanāmaya-puññakiriya-vatthuñ ca labhati. Ekacco tattha sunanto : ‘Iti mām saddho vijānissatiti’ icchācāre ṭhatvā lābhagaruko hutvā sunāti. Tam na mahapphalam. Ekacco pana : ‘Etam dhamma savanam mayham mahapphalamñ ca bhavissatiti’ hitakāmo paramena muducittena dhamma-savana-samannāgato dhammam sunāti, idam pi savanāmayaṁ-puññakiriya-vatthum-labhati. Ettha dhamma-savane sakkacca-savanassa ca sādhukāra-dānassa ca ānisamsam dassanattham idam vatthu.

Sāvatthiyam kira ekissā kutimbiya-dhītāya sāmiko

satthu dhamma-desanam sutvā : ‘Na sakkā mayā ayam dhammo gihibhūtena pūretun, pabbajissāmīti’ vihāram gantvā aññatarassa piṇḍapāti-kassa santike pabbaji. Ath’ assa bhariyam assāmikā ayam ti ñatvā Pasenadi-kosalo antepuram āharāpetvā ekadivasam eko puriso kenacid eva karanijyena ekam niluppalaikalāpam ādāya ante puram pavittho rajānam adāsi. Atha rājā niluppalaikalāpam gahetvā tāsam itthinam ekekam niluppalam adāsi. Pupphesu bhājiyamānesu sā itthi dve hatthe passāretvā pahatthākāram dassetvā, upasininghitvā parodi. Rājā tassā ubhaya-kāraṇam disvā tam pakkosāpetvā pucchi. Sā attano tutṭha-kāraṇañ ca rodita-kāraṇañ ca kathenti āha :

15 Mayham sāmika-therassa mukha-gandho pavāyati

Uppalam va sarantā nam parodāmi rathesabha

16 Tassa assāsa-passāso sasugandho pavāyati

Pageva sukate rājā saritvā tam parodayim.

Yāva tatiyam kathite pi rājā asaddhanto puna divase sakala-rājanivesane sabba-māla-vilepanādi-sugandhe bahikāretvā Buddha-pamukhassa bhikkhu-samghassa āsanam paññāpetvā Buddha-pamukhassa bhikkhu-samghassa nimantetvā āsane nisidāpetvā mahādānam datvā bhattakicca-pariyosāne tam itthim evam āha : ‘Kataro thero’ ti. ‘Esa deva thero ti.’ Tato rājā satthāram vanditvā : ‘Bhante tumhēhi saddhim bhikkhu-samgho gacchati tumhākam asuka-thero anumodanam karotu’ ti āha. Atha satthā tam bhikkhum ṭhapetvā vihāram gato. Atha thero anumodana-vatthum āraddha-matte sakala-rājanivesanam gandha-kappūraka-candana-kalala-gandha-pūram viya jātam. Sa rājā ‘sacam eva sā bhāsatiti’ pasīditvā puna divase satthāram kāraṇam pucchi. Atha Bhagavā : ‘Ayam mahārāja atīte dhammakatham sunanto pañca-vaññāya pītiyā phuta-sariro uddhaggalomo tāya pītiyā paripūrita-sariro mukhato nikkhāmitvā sādhū sādhukāram pavattento dhammam assosi. Tam-mūlato tena mahārāja ayam ānisamso laddho’ ti ācikkhi. Yatthāha :

17 Saddhamma-desanā-kāle sādhū sādhukāram bhāsato

Mukhato vāyati gandho uppalam va yathodake.

18 Madhura-bhāsitam sambuddha-bhāsitam  
 Madhura-dhammam imam supasam̄siyo  
 Madhura-bhāratiyā matimā naro  
 Madhura-rāva-mukho sasugandho.

Ayam sakkacca-savanassa ca ānisanso passamānena sak-  
 kaccāyam saddhammo sotabbo ti Sādhukāra-dānam duti-  
 yam.

19 Saddhamma-savanatthāya sannisinnā idhāgatā  
 Sampasādakatam cittam katvā dhammam sunantu tam.

Ekasmīm samaye Satthā Sāvatthiyam upanissāya Jetavane viharanto Tathāgato Saṅgha-varena saddhim brahmehi devehi ca pūjiyamāno Buddha tadā suttam idam abhāsi. “Dve ’māni bhikkhave dānāni. Katamāni dve. Āmisa-dānañ ca dhammadānañ ca. Imāni kho bhikkhave dve dānāni. Etadaggam bhikkhave imesam dvinnam dānānam yadidam dhamma-dānan ti.”<sup>1</sup> Esa dhammo nāma satipaṭṭhāna-sammappadhānāni, iddhipāda-indriyabala-bojjhamga-atṭhamgikamagga-ariyasaccavipassanā-aggaphala-nibbānadipako eso vuccati dhammo. Idha pana yo koci puññakāmo ullapatu sabhāva-sahitena yam kiñci navai-gānam sāsanānam sutta-geyyādikānam etesam aññataram āmisanirapekkho hutvā saddhamme va garukatvā suttam vā vedallam vā desesiti idam dhamma-dānam uttama-dānan ti vuccati. Sace pi hi imam cakkavāla-gabbham yāva Brahmalokā nirantaram pallamkam katvā nisinnānam Buddha-Paccekabuddha-khināsavānam kadali-gabbha-sadisāni cīvara - pahonakāni sukhuma - mahagghāni cīvarāni dadeyya, tasmīm samāgame dānassa anumodanattham catuppadikāya gāthāya kata-anumodanā va sethā. Tam kissa hetu. Tam hi dānam tassā gāthāya solasim kalam na agghatiti evam dhammam desento ānisamsam āha, atha vā puna pi mahānisamso. Yena ca puggalena tam dhamma-savanam kāritam tass' eva mahānisamsam āha.

<sup>1</sup> Aṅguttara II. 13

Puna tathārūpāy' eva parisāya sālimamsodanassa aneka-sūpavyañjanassa pañitassa piñdapātassa patte pūretvā dinna-dānato pi, sappi-navanita-tela-madhu-pānita-sakkarā-dinam pūretvā dinna-bhesajja-dānato pi, Mahāvihāra-sadisānam vihārānam Loha-pāsāda-sadisānañ ca pāsādā-nam aneka-satasohassāni kāretvā dinna-senāsana-dānato pi, Anāthapindiko gahāpati pi Jetavana-vihārakaraṇattham atthārasahi koṭīhi bhūmiyam santharitvā kiṇāti atthārasahi koṭīhi pāsādam karoti atthārasahi koṭīhi vihāramaham karoti evam catu-paññāsa-koṭīhi katapariccāgato, tathā Pubbārāme Visākhāya ca mahā-upāsikāya kārite pāsāde navahi koṭīhi bhūmim kiṇāti navahi koṭīhi pāsādam karoti navahi koṭīhi vihāramaham karoti evam satta-vīsatī-koṭī-pariccāgato, tasmin samāgame antamaso catuppadikāya gāthāya anumodana-vasenāpi tattha pavattitam dhamma-dānam eva settham. Kimkāranā. Evarupāni hi puññāni ye khattiya-brāhmaṇa-mahāsālā karonti dhammam sutvā va karonti no asutvā. Sace pi ime sattā dhammam na suṇeyyum ulumka-mattam yāgum pi katacchu-mattam bhattam pi na dadeyyum. Iminā kāraṇena sabba-dānehi dhamma-dānam eva settham. Api ca ṭhapetvā Buddha-Paccekabuddhe ca ye c'aññe sakala-kappam deve vassante uduka-bindūni ganetum samatthāya paññāya samannāgatā Sāriputtādayo hi attano dhammatāya sotāpatti-phalādīni adhigantum na sakkhim̄su, Assaji-therādīhi kathita-dhammam sutvā sotāpattiphalam sacchikarim̄su, satthu dhamma-desanāya sāvaka-pārami nāṇam sacchikarim̄su, Sāriputtathero pi Bhagavato dhamma-desanam sutvā saha arahatta-maggena sołasa nāṇāni patibujjhi, sotāpañño vephulla-pañño vuddhi-pañño mahā-pañño puthu-pañño gambhīra-pañño samanta-pañño bhūri-pañño bahula-pañño sīgha-pañño lahu-pañño hāsu-pañño javana-pañño tikkha-pañño nibbedhika-pañño sāvaka-pāramiñāṇappatto jato. Iminā kāraṇena sabbesam dānānam dhamma dānameva settham uttamam varam aggam akkhāyatīti.

Idam eva dhamma-dāna-saññāya satthāram upasamka-mitvā dasasahassa-cakkavāla-devatāhi purakkhato Sakko devānam indo Bhagavantam vanditvā pucchatī : ‘Bhante

katara-dānam dānesu uttamam, kataro raso rasesu uttamo, katarā rati ratisu uttamā, tañhakkhayo kasmiñ jetṭhako ti.' Atha satthā tassa cattāro paññe vissajjento imam gātham āha :

20 Sabba-dānam dhamma-dānam jināti  
 Sabbam rasam dhamma-raso jināti  
 Sabbam ratim dhamma-ratī jināti  
 Tañhakkhayo sabba-dukkham jināti.

evam Satthari imissā gāthāya catunnam pañhānam attham kathente yeva caturāsityā devatā-sahassānam dhammābhisamayo ahosi. Sacco satthu dhammadaktham sutvā satthāram vanditvā āha : ' Bhante evam jetṭhake nāma dhammadāne pi kim attham amhākam pattim na dāpetha, sādhu ito patṭhāya no bhikkhu-samghassa kathetvā pattim dāpetha bhante ti.' Vutvā Tathāgatam vanditvā tikkhattum padakkhinam katvā saddhim parisāya devalokam eva agamāsi. Atha Satthā tassā rattiyā accayena bhikkhu-samgham sannipātetvā evam āha : ' Bhikkhave ajjādim katvā mahā-dhamma-savanam vā pakati-dhamma-savanam vā nisinna-katham vā antamaso anumodanam vā kathetvā sabba-sattānam pattim dadeyyathā ti.' Vutte 'sādhu bhante' ti bhikkhu-samgho sampaticchi. Tato patṭhāya yāvajjatanā pi sabba-sattānam pattim denti yeva. Evam buddhaguṇam viditvā buddhe bhagavati cittappasādanam katvā sakkaccayam saddhammo kathetabbo ca sotabbo cāti Dhamma-dānam tatiyam

- 21 Ohāya attano kammapam dhammapam sotum idhāgatā  
 Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammapam sambuddha-desitan  
 ti  
 22 Yam jarā-vyādhi-maraṇam gītam itthīhi bhāsitam  
 Tam nisāmenti sappaññā papponti phalam uttaman ti.

Katham? atite buddhantare kira aññataro puriso sattahi puttehi saddhim araññam pavisitvā yam kattabbam kammapam tam divasa-bhāgena khepetvā sāyanha-samayam

atavito āgamma aññatarāya itthiyā attano dvāra-mukhe udukkhalam dhaññena pūretvā musalena koṭṭetvā supprena pappothentiyā :

23 Dhaññam idam musalena pabhinnam

Nitthusakanam idha taṇḍula-mattam  
Rūpam idam hi jarāya pabhinnam  
Passatha atṭhika-samkhali-mattam.

24 Jarāya parimadditam etam milātaccha-vīmamsa-nissitam

Maranena pabhijjati etam maceurājassa ghasamāmisam  
Kiminam ālayam etam nānā-kuṇapa-pūritaṁ  
Asucissa bhājanam etam kadalikkhandha-samam idam

25 Dhaññam idam musalena pabhinnam

Kāyam idam marañena pabhinnam  
Passatha passatha rūpa-pabhinnam  
Jāti-jarā-marañena pabhinnan ti.

So imam gītam sutvā paccevekkhanto ‘aniccam dukkham anattan’ ti tīṇam āropetvā tatth’ eva saha-puttehi paccekabodhim patto. Atha sāyamāsa-kāle bhojanattham ‘bhuñjatha idan’ ti mānussakehi nimantitā : ‘Na mayam vikāle bhuñjāma Pacceka-Buddhā nāma mayan’ ti, ‘sāmi Pacceka-Buddhānāma tumhādisā na hontiti,’ ‘atha kīdisā honti ti,’ ‘orohita-kesamassukā kāsāyavattha-pāticchannā kule vā gaṇe vā alaggā vātacchinna-vatāhakā rāhu-mukha-mutta-canda-maṇḍala-paṭibhāgā himavante Nanda-mūlaka-pabbhāre vasanti, evarūpā ayyā pacceka-buddhā ti.’ Tasmim khanē sabbe pi hattham ukkhipitvā sīsam parāmasimsu. Tāvad eva gihiliṅgam antaradhbāyī samāṇa-lim̄gam pātur ahosi, sabbe atṭha-parikkhāra-dharā kaya-patibaddhā ca ahesuṁ. Te ākāse ṭhatva mahājanassa ovādam datvā anila-pathena uttara-himavante Nanda-mūlaka-pabbhāram eva agamim̄su.

Evam gītapariyāpannam anicca - dukkha - m - anattam

dhammam sutvā paññita-purisā tam nissaya attano mokha-sukhāvahā honti. Iti veditvā tasmā tenāhu porāṇā :

26 Jāti-gottā-kulam rūpam apassitvāva paññitā  
Dhammad eva thiram katvā sotabbam dhammad uttamam

Gāvivāṇṇam apassitvā khīram passeyya paññito  
Gavijātamhi yam khīram rasānam uttamam rasam  
Evam ayampi saddhammo yena kenaci desito  
Tena sakkacca sotabbo dhammo Sambuddha-desito  
Dhammad Sambuddhato sutvā paresam desayanti ye  
Ce pakāsentī aññesam sabbam tam Buddha-desitam ti

Etam attham pana ñatvā sakkaccāyam saddhammo  
sotabbo ti Dhañña-kotthitam catuttham.

27 Ohāya attano kammam dhammad sotum idhāgatā  
Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammad sambuddha-desitam

28 Yam jarā-vyādhi-maraṇam gītam itthīhi gāyitam  
Tam nisāmenti sappaññā papponti phalam uttaman ti

Katham? Tass' atthassa vibhāvanattham idam vatthum. Sihaladipe kira eko gāmo mahājana-sanniveso ahosi. Tassa gāmassa avidūre padumupphala-sañchanno eko mahā saro atthi, tadā ekā cēlikā tasmin yeva rakkhamānā vicarati. Sā tasmin yeva sare padumam samphulitam disvā otarantī padumam bhañjitvā bhañjitvā evarūpañ ca gītam gāyati :

29 Passamidam padumam sumanuññam  
Pañjara-kesara-vārita-kiññam  
Yāva milā na pamaddati evam  
Sobhati tāva pavāti sugandhan ti

āha. Tassā gīta-saddam sutvā ekapasse sūpeyya-paññā-hārikā ekā talambaka-sākha-mālam ociniyamānā gītam anugāyantī āha.

30 Ettha ca passa idam pi sārīram  
 Yobbanamatta-dharam sumanuññam  
 Yāva jarā na pamaddati etam  
 Sobhati tāva karoti ca lilan ti

Tam sutvā Paduminī : ‘Yuttam esā vadati handāham imesānam padumānam yathā sabhāvam kathetvā puna pi imassa sariressa kathessāmiti, ñatvā idam āha :

31 Bhāsatī sassirikam ramañiyam  
 Komala-patta-vibhūsita-rūpam  
 Yāva milā na pamaddati etam  
 Sobhati tāva pavāti sugandhan ti

Paññikā āha :

32 Majjati majjati rūpa-madena  
 Sā kusalam na gavesati loke  
 Yāva jarā na pamaddati etam  
 Sobhati tāva karoti ca lilan ti

Paduminī āha :

33 Uṭṭhita-suriyo vikasita-reṇu  
 Pītikaram bhāmarehi ca gitam  
 Yāva milā na pamaddati etam  
 Sobhati tāva pavāti sugandhan ti

Paññikā tassā paduminiyā patīvacanam denti evam āha :

34 Pākāta-phullita-kokanadam  
 Suriyālokena tajjiyate  
 Evam manussatta-gatā sattā  
 Jarābhivegena tajjiyate

Tadā satthimattā bhikkhū tam eva gāmam nissāya ekasmīm patirūpe padese samadhvāsam vasim̄su. Sabbe āraddha-vipassanā satataṁ samitam rattim̄ divesu yutta-payuttā ‘ajja ajj’ eva arahattam pāpunissāmi sacchikaris-

sāmīti' gacchantā pi nisinnā pi sabba-iriyāpathē kammatthānam eva manasikatvā viharanti. Atha te bhikkhū tasmin divase pubbañhā-samayam nivāsetvā patta-civaram ādāya gāmam piṇḍāya maggam gacchantā tāsam gita-saddham sutvā therō sabbe pi bhikkhū āmantetvā avoca : 'Saccam etam āvuso yam īmāya kathitam sabbasattānam hi rūpam mūhuttam ramanīyam phullitapaduma-sadisan' ti tattha thitako va te pabhodento āha :

35 Evam pañitam attano mūle kālavañṇam bhavissati  
Tath' evāpi idam rūpam pañhamam tāva sobhati  
Tam pi hoti jaram patvā milātam padumam yathā ti

Vatvā evam āha : 'Āvuso sabbe samkhārā khaya-vayā asassatabhāvā, alam eva sabba-samkhāresu nibbinditum, alam virajjitum, alam vimucchitun ti.' Te sabbe samvegam pañilabhitvā bhāvita-kammatthānam patthapetvā vipassanām vāḍḍhetvā tath' eva saha pañisambhidāhi arahattam pāpuṇim̄su. Therō te bhikkhū attanā saddhim̄ arahattam pattam ñatvā evam āha :

36 Samkhata-dhammam aniccam anattam  
Jāti-jarā-cutī-roga-niketam  
Khandham idam buhu-dukkha-sadhāvam  
Tam pahāya sivam upagacchatūti

Vatvā tehi saddhim̄ agamāsi. Evam Tathāgata-saddhammam nāma yena kenaci kathitam antamaso cetiikāya gīta-pariyāpannam katvā dhammam sutvā sappurisā mokkhasukhāvahā honti. Tena sakkaccayam saddhammo sotabbo ti. Pañnikā-gītam pañcamam :

37 Ohāya attano kammam dhammam sotum idhāgatā  
Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammam sambuddha-  
desitan ti

Kā kathā Manussa-bhūtā atthānattham vā kusalākusalam vā dhammādhammam vā jānātā yepi sattā tiracchā-

nabhūtā maṇḍūka - ulūka - vagguli - migā - maccha - ajagara  
 silutta-sappādayo tiracchāna-gatā kiñci mattam pi ajā-  
 nantā kevalam parehi dhamma - sajjhāyita dhamma -  
 savana-nigghosa-mattam eva sutvā tena nigghosena tutṭhā  
 sare pi saha nimittaggahañena kālam katvā antarasmim  
 yeva bhave attano paramattha-sukhāvahā'hesum, tattha  
 ādito va maṇḍūka-vatthu kathetabbam. Maṇḍūka-vat-  
 thumhi ayam ānupubbikathā. Ekasmim kira samaye  
 Bhagavā Campakā-nagare viharati Gaggarāya pokkarā  
 niyā tire. Atha kho Bhagavā sāyañha-samayam Campakā-  
 nagara-vāsinam dhammam desesi. Tadā eko maṇḍūko  
 tattha gantvā Bhagavato sare nimittam aggahesi, tam  
 vaccha-pālako dāñḍam olubbha tiṭṭhanto tassa sīse sanni-  
 rumbhītvā atṭhāsi. So tāvad eva kālam katvā Tāvatimsa-  
 bhavane dvādasa yojanike kanaka-vimāne nibbatti puttappa-  
 buddho viya accharā-samgha-parivuto. Tam attabhāvam  
 disvāna apare : 'aham nāma idha nibbatto kin nu kho  
 kammam akasin' ti avajjento na aññam kiñci addasa  
 aññattrā Bhagavato sare nimittaggāham. So tāvad eva  
 sahavimānenā āgantvā Bhagavato pāde vandi Bhagavā  
 jānantova pucchitvā tāyam velāyam imam gātham abhāsi :

38 Ko me vandati pādāni iddhiyā yasasā jalām  
 Abhikkantena vanñena sabbā obhāsayam disā ti <sup>1</sup>

So devaputto Bhagavantam gāthāya ajjhabhāsi :

39 Maṇḍūko 'ham pure āsim udake vāri-gocaro  
 Tava dhammam suṇantassa avadhī vaccha-pālako

Bhagavā tassa dhammam desesi. Desanā-pariyosāne  
 caturāśītiyā pāna sahassānam dhammābhīsamayo ahosi.  
 Devaputto pi sotāpattiphale patiṭṭhāya Bhagavantam  
 padakkhinam katvā devalokam eva pakkāmi. Etam attham  
 pāna ñatvā atthakāminā paññitena sakkaccāyam sad-  
 dhammo sotabbo ti Maṇḍūkassa vatthu chatṭhamam

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<sup>1</sup> Vimāna-vatthu § 51. 1. 1

40 Ohāya attano kammañ dhammañ sotum idhāgatā  
Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammañ sambuddha-  
desitam

Vaggulinam vatthumhi ayam ānupubbi-kathā. Ekasmim kira samaye Bhagavā deva-loke Abhidhammadā desiyāmāno yadā manussa-loke uttaritvā ekam nimmita-Buddham sammā-sambuddha-sadisam deva-nikāyānam dhamma-desanāya abhinimminitvā saggalokato otaritvā otaraṇa-kale Anotatta-dhe pāniyam paribhuñjitvā sarīrapati jagganam akāsi. Tasmin kāle āyasmato Sāriputtassa bhagavato upatīthānam karontassa yam yam dhammak-khandham devaloke desitam tam tam eva sikkhāpesi. So pi Sāriputto Buddha-pamukhato sakalam Abhidhammadāpiṭakam uddiṭham uggañhitvā aññatarasmin guhadvare patisajjhāyam akāsi. Tasmin vasantā pañca-satappamāñā vagguliyo sare saddamattam eva gahetvā dhammārammañē thatvā nāpi dhammattham jānantā evam cintetvā : ‘ayam saddo neva amhākam pileti nāpi amhe bujjhati, tasmā ye saddā vā vatthukāmā pāñam hantvā aññattra savippayogam sabbe te pharusā atikañhā neva manoramā, ayam pi Buddho manoharo savaniyo pemanīyo’ ti cintetvā dhammārammañam eva katvā na bhakkham gavesantā tattheva kālam akāmsu. Sace te vagguliyo dhammasavana-tejena deva-loke ekekassa pañca-sata-sahassaparivāra dvādasa yojanike kanakavimāne devaccharāhi nānā-nacca-gīta-vādita-saṅghuthe nibbattimsu. Nibbat-takkhanē devindo devagānehi saddhim sammāna karaṇatthāya dibba-dhūpa-gandha-mālādihi pūjetvā evam āha :

41 Aho sukham devaloke tādisā no sahāyakā  
Api ca cira patiṭṭhā uppajjantā ca mānuse  
42 Sāvakā te ca Buddhassa virajassa bhavissare  
Sāriputtassa dhammañ ca sutvā gacchanti nibbutin ti

Evam vatvā puna nipati. Sabbe vagguli-devaputtā ciram devaloke sukham anubhavitvā tato cavitvā brāhmaṇa-gaha-pati-kule uppajjitvā aññamañña-sahāyakā hutvā te vuddhi-

manto va Sāriputtatherassa dhammam̄ sutvā pabbajitv  
 Abhidhamma-piṭakam̄ ugganhitvā sātt̄hakatham̄ vācug-  
 gatam̄ katvā na cirasseva sabbe tevipassanam̄ vad̄lhetvā  
 samsāra - dukkhato muttā klin̄asavappattā. Aññatra  
 Sāriputtena ye ye buddha-sāvakā paṭhamam̄ Abhidhamma-  
 piṭakam̄ sātt̄hakatham̄ vācuggatam̄ katvā sabbe te aññā-  
 maññā-sāhāyakā vagguli-devaputtā viya imasmin̄ loke  
 pākaṭā ahesum. Evam̄ sara-bhañjana-mattam eva sutvā  
 dhammappasādāya bahulatāya devaloke ca yāva nibbāna-  
 gamanā sukham anubhavim̄su. Tena vuttam̄ :

- 43 Kā kathā sakalatthañ ca uggañhitvā sajjhāyati  
 Tassa nāmappakaraṇam̄ vatvā saddhāya pujiya  
 44 Ten' eva katakammaṇa bhavantaram anāgate  
 Sāvijjattha katass' eva vācuggatañ ca tantiyā

Tena vuttam̄ bhagavatā :

- 45 Tittha tatthamabhiññāya akkharāni padāni ca  
 Nāmam attham abhiññāya bodhi-bijam upāgami  
 46 Abhidhammam̄ pavattānam̄ bhikkhūnam̄ sara-bhañ-  
 jane  
 Vagguliyo pi nanditvā modayanti tidivam̄ gatā  
 47 Abhidhammam̄ pi vācitvā pūjetvā abhivandati  
 Lokapatto sivam̄ sukham̄ pacchā nibbānam esati  
 48 Ye cābhisaranopetā Sakyā-sīhassa sāsane  
 Patiññitā idisā pi sutvā dhammam̄ mahesino  
 49 Dhammārammaṇam̄ katvā saddhā cittena moditā  
 Dhammassavanānisamse anubhonti asamsiyā ti

Etam attham pana nātvā atthakāminā paññitena sak-  
 kaccāyam̄ saddhammo sotabbo ti Vagguli-vatthum̄ satta-  
 mam̄.

Migapotakassa vatthumhi ayam ānupubbi-kathā. Sīha-  
 ladipe kira Uddalolaka-vihāram̄ nāma ramañiyam̄ ekam̄  
 vihāram̄ ahosi, tada vihāropavane bahu migasūkarādayo  
 vasanti. Athekasmin̄ gāme nesādaputto tasmiñ bahū-miga-

sūkaredisvā ekadivasam̄ ekasmim̄ passe koṭṭhakam̄ katvā vanapariyante paññam̄ bandhitvā dhanukalāpam̄ paggayha migā-gamanam̄ olokento koṭṭahe atthāsi. Atheko migo tattha tattha gocaram̄ gaṇhitvā pāniyam̄ pātum̄ tittham̄ gacchanto tasmin̄ assama-padese dhamma-savanatthāya ghuṭṭha-saddam̄ sutvā pasārita-gīvo uttuṅga-kaṇṇo anokkhitta - akkhi anukkhittapādo dhamma - kathikassa sare nimittam̄ gaṇhitvā atthāsi. Tasmim̄ khane nesādo tam̄ ekappahāren' eva vijjhītvā jivitakkhayam̄ pāpesi. Atha so kālam̄ katvā tattheva vihāravāsi Maha-Abhayattherassa kanītthikāya kucchimhi paṭisandhim̄ gaṇhitvā dasamā-saccayena mātu kucchito nikhamitvā kamena abhivād-dhento satta-vassiko ahosi. Tato tam̄ mātāpitaro Abhayattherassa santikam̄ nesum̄. So tam̄ na cirena kālena pabbājesi. So pana kumāro pubbe miga-bhuten' attanā dhamma - savanānu bhāvena khuragge yeva arahattam̄ pāpuṇi. Tassa pana mātula-thero paṭiladdha-pañcābhīñño appatta-arahanta-maggo hoti.

Athekasmim̄ divase sāmanero pan' eso upajjhāyassa santikam̄ agamāsi. Ath'ass' upajjhāyo hattham̄ vadḍhetvā pāñinā canda-maṇḍalam̄ parimaddanto atthāsi. Sāmanero tam̄ disvā : ' Bhante etam̄ rakkhitum̄ vatṭatīti' āha. Thero pana tam̄ aggaphale arahatte patiṭṭhita-bhāvam̄ ajānanto tassa vacanam̄ na sammā manasākāsi. Atha sāmanero iddhiyā canda-sahassam̄ āharitvā therassa dassayitvā : ' Bhante canda-sataṁ vā canda-sahassam̄ vā canda-sata-sahassam̄ vā āharanam̄ na bhāriyam̄, yo pana ekam eva taṇham̄ pajahati so yeva uttamo, tam̄ eva bhāriyan' ti vatvā evam̄ āha :

- 50 Yo gantvā puriso disvā tīratṭho va mahambudhim̄  
Samuddo 'yam̄ mayā ditṭho bhāsateva apaññavā
- 51 Evam ev' idha yo bhikkhu kilese keci attani  
Vikkhambetvā abhiñānam̄ balam̄ laddhāna addhuvam̄
- 52 Appahantvā kilesānam̄ laddhattho' smiti maññati  
Taṇhā-dāsavayato so hi amutto yeva vattati
- 53 Alakkhim̄ asivam bhimam̄ anapāyam̄ anatthadam̄  
Yo taṇham̄ pajahē bhikkhu so mutto māra-bandhanā ti

Tam sutvā thero pasīditvā tadahe yeva arahattam pāpuṇi. Atha dutiya-divase thera-kaniṭṭhikā sāmañerena saddhim theram nimantesi. Thero bhaginim evam āha : ‘Upāsike tayajja bahu bhikkhu disvā cittam pasādetabbam pativimso pana ubhinnam yeva hotūti.’ Tam pesetvā pubbañha-samayam nivasetvā patta cīvaraṁ ādāya tiṁsa-sahassa-mattehi bhikkhūhi saddhim agamāsi. Sā tam disvā dve mātulānam āsanāni paññāpesi. Tāni tesam ānubhāvena tiṁsa-sahassa-mattāni ahesum. Tesam yevānubhāvena tassā geham pi vaḍḍhi, bhikkhū pattapattāsane nisidim̄su, tāya dvinnam yeva paṭiyāditam sūpavyañjanādi sabbam tiṁsa-sahassa-mattānam bhikkhūnam yāvadattham pahonakam ahosi. Bhuttāvasāne kho upāsikā bhattānumodanattham sāmañerassa pattam gaṇhi. So pi tesam majjhe maṅgalam vaddhento madhura-bhāratim nicchārento dhammam desesi. Desanāvasāne mātā-pitādīm katvā pañca-kulasatāni sotāpatti-phale patiṭṭhahimsu, bahuno janassa sā desanā sāththikā ahosi.

54 Desentevam vipinaja-migā saddamatte nimittam  
 Laddhā dhammadam manuja-vibhavam cāpavaggam labhanti  
 Saddhā buddhe vihita-matimā sādhū sutvāna dhammadam  
 Kinno sagge ramati muninā vāṇṇaniye vimāne ti

Migapotakassa vatthum atṭhamam.

55 Ohāya attano kammam dhammadam sotum idhāgata  
 Tena sakkacea sotabbam dhammadam sambuddha-desitam ti.

Macchassa vatthumhi ayam ānupubbikathā. Ekasmim samaye bahū vānija-janā Laṅkādipam gantukāmā ekam samudagāmini-nāvam gaṇhitvā naṇappakārāni bhaṇḍāni sajetvā aññāni ca tila-taṇḍulādīni pātheyyāni nāvam pūretvā bhadda-nakkhatteṇa pāyimsu. Tadā eko bhikkhu paraṭiram tehi saddhim gantukāmo hutvā vānijānam santike attano okāsam yācītvā tehi dinnam ekokāsam

pavisitvā nisidi. Atha sā nāvā samavātena sukham gacchati. So bhikkhu attano nisinna-kāle yeva paguṇa-sajjhāyam karonto : ‘ Kusalā dhammā akusalā dhammā avyākatā dhammā sukhāya vedanāya sampayuttā dhammā dukkhāya vedanāya sampayuttā dhamma adukkhamasukhāya vedanāya sampayuttā dhammā ’ ti Cittuppāda-kaṇḍe pavat-teti. Tattha nāvāya ekapassena gacchanto eko mahā maccho tassa bhikkhuno sajjhāyantassa sare nigghosamattam eva tam sutvā tena ghosena tutṭho aññatthagamana-cittam akatvā tatthakam eva cittam katvā ubho kaṇe pana niccāletvā nāvāya pacchato avijahitvāva gacchati. So yāva tittham nāvam anugacchanto saddasavanena ākāḍḍhita-citto ahosi. Atha so tittha-tiratthēhi vijjhito manussehi tattheva kālam akāsi.

Sihala-dīpe Rohiṇī nāma eko janapado ahosi. Tattha ekasmim samiddha-kule nibbattitvā mahantena issariyena parivārena vadḍhati te pana nātakā kumarassa jātakāle sumana pamuditā honti Sumana-tissa nāmam karimsu. Tasmin pana gehe mātāpitūhi upatthamānā nibaddham bhikkhū bhuñjanti. Kumāro abhiñha-dassanena tesam ācāra-vihāresu pasiditvā vayappatta-kāle yeva evarūpam sampattim pahāya pabbajitu-kāmo hutvā mātāpitūhi nānap-pakārehi yāciyamāno pi tesam vacanam anādīvitvā rodantānam paridevantānam yeva Ratt̄hapāla-puttādayo viya attānam pabbajjāya anujānāpetvā pabbajita-kālato paṭṭhāya sāmañera-bhūmiyam thito sakalam Suttanta-piṭakam sakalam Abhidhamma-piṭakam paguṇam katvā upasampanna-kāle sakalam Vinaya-piṭakam pariyāpuṇitvā tepiṭako jāto. So saddhāya pabbajitattā Saddhā-sumana tissatthero nāmam ahosi, gagana tale ṭhita-cando viya sabbattha pākaṭo mahā-parivāro ahosi. So Mahācetiyam vandanatthāya Nāgadipam āgato tattha Mūlagirissa ca antare Dañḍaki-rañño uyyānam abhiramanīyam vivekābhiranamatthānam yogayuttānam appamāda-viharinam bhikkhu-samgha-sannipatitānam. Thero tam disvā pasanna-citto pasiditvā hatthapādāni sītalām katvā ekam mahārukkaṁ nissāya nisīdati pallamkam ābhujitvā buddhārammaṇe, cittam abhinīhārika-matte eva ca ekanimitta-sarena viya

maggaphalam arahattam pāpuṇi, lokassa agga-dakkhiṇeyyo jāto. Idam pana arahattam kena dinnam nanu, sakkacca savanena-dinnam. Tenāhu porānā :

56 Dhamma-sajjhāyitam sutvā ye pi macchā jale carā  
Tena ghosena muditā cutā te mokkham aijjhagū ti.

Tasmā sakkaccāyam saddhammo sotabbo ti Saddhā-  
Sumanatthera-vatthu navamam

Ohāya attano kammam dhammam sotum idhāgata  
Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammam Sambuddha-desi-  
tan ti.

Ajagara-vatthumhi ayam ānupubbikathā. Kassapa-sammāsambuddha-kāle kira eko ajagarako hutvā abhidhammika-bhikkhūnam santikam upagantvā sayito tesu āyatana-katham sajjhāyantesu sare nimittam gahetvā kālam katvā deva-loke nibbattitvā yāva amhākam satthussa parinibbānā tāva devaloke yeva sampattim anubhavitvā Bhagavati parinibbute pana ekasmin brāhmaṇa-kule nibbattitvā vuddhimantvāya ājīvaka-pabbajjāya pabbajitvā Bindusāra-rājassa aggamahesiyā kulūpako ahosi.

Tadā tassā deviyā cattāro dohalā uppānnā hanti. Katame cattāro ? candimasuriyesu akkamitvā tārakarūpāni khāditukāmā valāhakā khāditu-kāmā ganduppāde khāditu-kāmā mahiruha-pādapa-pattapānam khāditukāmā ti. Tasmā so ājīvako tassā dohalā paṭippassambhanopāyam rañño ācikkhi. Tattha viññāpako ahosi rañño : ‘Kin deviyā dohalā nibbattanti’ vutte ‘mahārāja ayam devī sabbaṅga-paripunṇam narapati-putta-varam labhissatīti’ vyākāsi. Tassā dohalā-nippattim vitthārena kathetukāmo devim upasamkamitvā tāya paññāpite mahārahe āsane nisiditvā deviyā ‘Kin ti’ vutte ‘Mayā kathetabbam atthi, na tan te paccatthike rājika-parisantare kathesim, idāni tam te kathetum āgacchāmī-ti’ āha.

Tāya ‘Ācariyo tam kathetu mayam sossāmāti’ vutte

‘Devi aham tavautta-patilabha-mattam eva kathemi na aññam idani tam suñahiti’ vatvā ‘Devi tuyham putto rājā bhavissati athassā candima-suriyesu akkamitukāmatam tena sakala-Jambudipesu ekasata-rājūnam tassa pādaparicārika-bhāvāya pubba-nimittam, tāraka-rūpāni khāditu-kāmatam te appiya dāyādameva bhātu ghātakāraṇāya pubba-nimittam, valāhaka-khāditukāmatam tena saddhim vātānugatam channavuti pāsāñḍānam viddham-sitvā Sambuddha-sāsanavaram eva paggahaṇatthāya pubba-nimittam, mahūruha-pādapa-pattapāñānañ ca khāditukāmatam tam upari ākāse yojanappamane āñāpavattāpanāya pubba-nimittan ti sabbam dohaļa-phala-nimittañ ca vatvā ‘Evam tava dohalo tava puttam eva attham paticea uppanno ti sallakkhehitī’ āha. Sā tena atipahatthā : ‘Evam tesu tesu atthesu nippannesu tumhe te nivāsatthānato sovaṇṇa-sivikāya āñāpessamīti’ vatvā sakkārañ c’assa katvā tam upayojenti, nāmañ c’assa puechitvā tam suvaṇṇa-patte likhāpetvā tam uyyojesi, sā pacchā sammā parihāriyamānā gabbhā parinata-gabbhe vijāyanti atha sā kumāram labhi. Ath’ ekadivasam rājā tam kumāram añke nisidāpetvā kīlāpentō nisinno ahosi. Aññe dakkhiṇāvattasamkhanū āharitvā rañño hatthe thapesum. Kumāro muttam vissajjesīti rājā tam samkhena gahetvā kumārassa muddhani osiñci. Devī tam pi disvā kupitā tassa hatthato kumāram gahetvā tam attham attano kulūpakassa ājivakassa arocesi. ‘So vatāyan devi tavautto sakala Jambu dīpe aggārājā bhavissatīti’ vyākaritvā tāya kata-sakkāro tato yojana satam gantvā aññatarasmīm padese vihāsi. Atha apārena samayena Dhammāsoko sattu-maddanam katvā pitu accayena rajjam gahetvā ekadivasam mātarām puechi : ‘Amma pubbe imam no sampattim vyākatā santi no santiti.’ Sā : ‘Tāta evam vyākato no kulūpakajivako atthiti’ vatvā, ‘Kasmīm amma so kattha vasatiti’ sutte ‘ito yojana satamatteti’ āha. So ‘ācariyassa sakkāram karissāmīti’ sovaṇṇa-sivikāya saddhim tam ānetum manusse pesesi. Tehi so āñiyamāno antarāmagge Vattaniya-senāsane Assaguttattherassa vasanatthānam disvā ‘ayam pabbajitānam nivāsanokāso’ ti sivikāya otaritvā padasā

taṁ thānam gantvā therassa mettānubhāvena aññamaññam niviṭṭhassa vihesake hutvā metta-citte paṭiladdhe samaggavagge hutvā sahite sīha-vyaggha-taraccha-gokaṇṇa-sūkaramigādayo ca tesam pāniyam vissaggakarontam therañ ca disvā ‘kenāma iti’ theram puechi.

Thero tassa pubba-hetu-sampattim olokento ‘yam tassa pubbe āyatana-kathā-savanattam disvā tam eva tassa upanissayo hotūti’ cintetvā ‘āyatana nāma ete āvuso’ ti āha. So ‘ke pan etesam kammānīti’ pucchitvā tasmim āyatana eva ca kammānīti vutte saha āyatana nīti padam suṇamāno va hirottappam pacchupatthito ukkuṭikam nisidi. Thero tassa udaka-sāṭakam adāsi, tato so pabbajjam yācītvā therassa santike pabbajitvā kammaṭṭhānam gahetvā vipassanam vadḍhetvā sakalam vatta-dukkham khepetvā aggaphalam arahattam pāpuṇi. Idam pana arahattam kena dinnam, nanu sakkacca dhamma-savanena dinnam. Tenāhu porāṇā :

57 Dhamma sajjhāyitam sutvā yo pi sappo ajāgaro  
Tena ghosena modanto cuto so mokkham ajjhago ti.

Tasmā sakkaccāyam saddhammo sotabbo ti Ajagaravatthu dasamam.

58 Ohāya attano kammañ dhammam sotum idhāgatā  
Tena sakkacca sotabbam dhammam sambuddha-desitam.

Siluttassa vatthumhi ayam ānupubbikathā. Laṅkādīpe Rohaṇa-janapade Mahāgāme Kākavaṇṇa-tissa-mahārāje rajjam kārente Talaingara-tissa-pabbata-vāsi Mahādham-madinna-thero Devarakkhitaleṇe patīvasati. Tadā tassa guhā samipe eko mahā vammiko ahosi, tattha eko silutto yattha katthaci gocaram gahetvā tattheva vammike patīvasati. Evam kāle gacchante ekasmiñ divase gocaram ganhantassa dve akkhīni bhindimsu. So vedanappatto hutvā vammikato bahi gocaram alabhanto sayī. Tato theroy tathā nipannam dukkhitam siluttam disvā tassa

kāruññena savana-pathe ṭhatvā mahāsatipatṭhāna-suttantaṇa dhammam desesi. So tam dhammam sunanto sare nimittam paṭṭhapetvā cittam pasādesi. Tasmim yeva khaṇe eko godho tam māretvā khādi. So tena nissandena tato cuto Anurādhapure Dutṭhagāmini-Rañño ekaccassa amaccassa kulagehe nibbatti. Atha vuddhippattassa Tissa-macco ti nāmam ahosi. Hirañña-suvaṇṇa-go-mahisa-dāsi-dāsādi-anekavibhavena samannāgato ahosi.

Sare nimittaggahaṇa-mattena dhammo evam mahantam sampattim dadati. Aho saddhammānubhāvo. Honti c'ettha :

- 59 Aho dhammānubhāvo yam sugatassa mahesino  
Ajātiṁ jātimattam so karoti lokapūjitaṁ
- 60 Niddhanam dhanavantañ ca akulinam kulaggataṁ  
Dummedhañ ca sumedhattam dhammo pāpeti sabbadā
- 61 Sakanṭhako vati dhammo apāya gamanañjase  
Susajjito mahāmaggo saggalokassa gāmino
- 62 Jarā-roga-pahāne so saddhammo amatāgadho  
Tasmā so sevitabbo va janakāyena sādarā
- 63 So 'yam dhammanibho sutvā laddho mānusikam sirim  
Ko tam dhammam na seveyya attha-kāmo jano hitan  
ti.

Tato so aparabhāge anekāni puññakammāni katvā sut-tappabuddho viya gantvā Titusa-puravare kanakavimāne nibbattīti.

- 64 Sunantu santo amatam jineritam  
Bhajantu pūjentu upāsayantu tam  
Thāne ca gamane sayanāsane ca  
Sarantu tam hoti sadā parāyanam.

Siluttassa vatthu ekādasamam.

Sujanappasādāya kate Saddhamma-samgahe  
dhamma-savanānisanisa-vanṇanā  
nitthitā.

- 1 Cando va sāsanākāse yo virocati Sihale  
Bodhento nāṇa-rāmsihi Laṅkāvāsi-janambuje
- 2 Dhammakittyābhidhāno ca silācāraguṇākaro  
Pākato Sihale dīpe gagane viya candimā
- 3 Piṭakesu ca sabbattha sadda-satthādikesu ca  
Pārappatto mahāpañño Laṅkā-dīpappasādako
- 4 Tassa sisso Dhammakitti-Mahāsāmiti vissuto  
Laṅkāgamana-ussāho patvā Laṅkam manoramam
- 5 Tattha puññam bahum katvā laddha-therupasampadam  
Punāgato sakam desam sampatto Yodayam puram
- 6 Parama-rājābhidhānena mahārājena kārite  
Laṅkārāma-mahāvāse vasatā santa-vuttinā
- 7 Dhammakittyorusāminā dhimatā racitam idam  
Saddhamma-saṅgahan nāma sabbaso pariniṭhitam.

Niṭhitam.